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1922	Winnipeg,	W. J. Clark, D.D., Westmount, Que.
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1924	Owen Sound,	Clarence Mackinnon, D.D., Halifax, N.S.
1925	Toronto,	George C. Pidgeon, D.D., Toronto, Ont.

MODERATORS OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY SINCE 1875—*Continued*

1925	Toronto,	E. Scott, D.D., Montreal, Que.
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1929	Ottawa,	David Perrie, D.D., Wingham, Ont.
1930	Hamilton,	Frank Baird, M.A., D.D., Pictou, N.S.
1931	Toronto,	W. G. Brown, M.A., B.D., Saskatoon, Sask.
1932	London,	R. Johnston, M.A., D.D., Ottawa, Ont.
1933	Peterborough,	H. R. Grant, D.D., Fort William, Ont.
1934	Toronto,	J. S. Shortt, M.A., D.D., Barrie, Ont.
1935	Montreal,	D. T. L. McKerroll, D.D., Toronto.
1936	Hamilton,	Malcolm A. Campbell, D.D., Montreal, Que.
1937	Ottawa,	Hugh Munroe, B.A., D.D., New Glasgow, N.S.
1938	Toronto,	Donald MacOdrum, B.A., D.D., Brockville, Ont.

THE ATTENTION OF SYNODS, PRESBYTERIES AND SESSIONS IS CALLED TO THE FOLLOWING MATTERS WHICH HAVE BEEN APPROVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

1. That the attention of Presbyteries be called to the lack of co-operation on the part of many sessions and congregations in carrying out the instructions of the Assembly or in fulfilling their duties as laid down in Section 113 (*a*) in the Book of Forms. (Report of the Board of Administration, Rec. No. 1, App. p. 167).

2. Re Budget Allocations. That the General Assembly approve of the Budget as submitted and recommend to the Synods of the Church that their respective allocations be approved and, in turn, allocated to the Presbyteries within their bounds at the earliest possible date, not later than October 31st, 1938. (Report of the Board of Administration, Rec. No. 2, App. p. 167).

3. Re Title to Congregational Property. That in view of the incompleteness of the reports, Presbyteries be again directed to ascertain in what way congregational property within the bounds is held, and that such information be referred to a Committee on Property, or such other Committee as each Presbytery in its wisdom may appoint, to take whatever action may be found necessary, and that such information be forwarded to this Board. (Report of the Board of Administration, Rec. No. 4, App. p. 167).

4. Re Act Constituting Assembly. The Assembly calls the attention of Presbyteries to the provisions of the Act constituting the Assembly, and cautions them to be more careful and exact in conforming to them. (See Minutes, page 26).

5. Re Appointment of a Secretary for the General Board of Missions. Presbyteries are requested to make nominations to the Clerk of Assembly for appointment at the 1939 Assembly. (See Minutes, page 29).

6. Re Students from Colleges other than those of our own Church. The following recommendation of the Board of Education was ordered to be sent down to Presbyteries for information, and to report to next Assembly.

"WHEREAS, the Presbyterian Church in Canada provides adequate facilities for the education of a ministry;

The General Assembly hereby enacts and ordains that all persons applying for the Status of Licentiate of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, who have received all or part of their theological education in institutions other than the colleges of the said Church, shall be required to receive further training in one of the colleges of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and that the extent and duration of the said training shall in each case be determined by the General Assembly." (See Minutes, page 36).

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Sixty-Fourth General Assembly

OF

The Presbyterian Church in Canada

HELD IN

Calvin Church, Toronto

JUNE 1st, 1938

FIRST SEDERUNT

At the City of Toronto, Ontario, and within Calvin Church there, the first day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at eight o'clock in the evening.

Which time and place Ministers and ruling Elders, Commissioners from the several Presbyteries of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, convened pursuant to appointment by the General Assembly held in the City of Ottawa on the second day of June last year.

The Reverend Hugh Munroe, D.D., Moderator of the last General Assembly, conducted public worship and preached a sermon from the words, "Wilt Thou not revive us again, that Thy people may rejoice in Thee." (Psalm 85, verse 6).

Thereafter, by prayer, he did constitute the General Assembly in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, the only King and Head of the Church.

The retiring Moderator briefly addressed the Assembly, returning thanks for the kindness shown him during his term of office, and speaking of the evidence of encouraging progress observed by him while visiting the churches during the year.

ROLL CALL

The names of those commissioned by the several Presbyteries of the Church having been presented in a printed list, the Assembly agreed to

accept the same as the Roll of Assembly, subject to any corrections subsequently to be made when the same is scrutinized.

The Roll finally adopted is as follows:—

(Those marked with an asterisk were not present.)

I.—SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

1.—PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON AND NEWFOUNDLAND

Ministers	*Elders*
James McNeill, St. John's, Nfld.	Edmund MacDonald, Sydney Mines, N.S.
Joseph Cathcart, Louisburg, N.S.	*W. D. MacLeod, Baddeck, N.S.
J. W. Smith, North Sydney, N.S.	L. G. MacKeigan, Sydney, N.S.

2.—PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU

W. Lloyd MacLellan, B.D., Scotsburn, N.S.	Angus Rankin, Stellarton, N.S.
F. G. MacDonald, Merigomish, N.S.	J. G. Calkin, New Glasgow, N.S.
Hugh Munroe, D.D., New Glasgow, N.S.	W. A. Blair, Oxford, N.S.

3.—PRESBYTERY OF HALIFAX AND LUNENBURG

Henry S. Graham, Musquodoboit Harbour, N.S.	*Alex. MacLean, Elmsdale, N.S.
G. M. Dix, B.D., Truro, N.S.	

4.—PRESBYTERY OF SAINT JOHN

W. M. Townsend, D.D., Fairville, N.B.	J. Porteous, Saint John, N.B.
George E. Ross, D.D., Fredericton, N.B.	J. A. Murray, Sussex, N.B.

5.—PRESBYTERY OF MIRAMICHI

F. G. Purnell, Millerton, N.B.	J. A. Watling, Black River Bridge, N.B.

6.—PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

R. H. Stavert, B.D., Wood Islands, P.E.I.	Cameron MacLauchlan, Mt. Stewart, P.E.I.
John C. MacNeil, Marshfield, P.E.I.	Alex. MacKenzie, Long Creek, P.E.I.
E. J. White, B.A., Tyne Valley, P.E.I.	M. J. Stewart, Caledonia, P.E.I.

II.—SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

7.—PRESBYTERY OF QUEBEC

J. R. Graham, B.D., Sherbrooke, Que.	*W. G. Clark, Asbestos, Que.
J. Lloyd Hughes, Melbourne, Que.	*Allan D. Morrison, R.R. 2, Scotstown, Que.

8.—PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL

Ministers	*Elders*
D. J. Fraser, D.D., Montreal, Que.	D. M. Rowat, Montreal, Que.
A. M. Hill, D.D., Verdun, Que.	W. J. Morton, Montreal, Que.
R. De Pierro, Montreal, Que.	John McFarlane, Outremont, Que.
George Rowland, B.D., Montreal, Que.	J. A. Weatherbee, Verdun, Que.
Malcolm A. Campbell, D.D., Montreal.	*John Rae, Westmount, Que.
Allan S. Reid, D.D., Montreal, Que.	James Wilson, Montreal, Que.

9.—PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY

S. McM. Kerr, B.D., Lancaster, Ont.	Donald A. Gray, Dunvegan, Ont.
Wm. Fitzsimons, Farran's Point, Ont.	*D. O. Urquhart, Greenfield, Ont.

10.—PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA

R. Johnston, D.D., Ottawa, Ont.	F. A. McDiarmid, Ottawa, Ont.
Wm. Patterson, D.D., Westboro, Ont.	S. B. Gordon, Richmond, Ont.
Harold G. Lowry, M.A., Hull, P.Q.	Clarence M. Pitts, Ottawa, Ont.

11.—PRESBYTERY OF LANARK AND RENFREW

Kenneth McCaskill, B.D., McDonald's Corners, Ont.	James D. Sergeant, McDonald's Corners, Ont.
J. MacBeath Miller, B.D., Smith's Falls, Ont.	*W. D. Blakley, Pembroke, Ont.

12.—PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE

N. A. MacLeod, D.D., Brockville, Ont.	Robt. J. Gardner, Kemptville, Ont.
D. MacOdrum, D.D., Brockville, Ont.	Ralph J. Thompson, Iroquois, Ont.

III.—SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

13.—PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON

J. W. MacDonald, B.A., Roslin, Ont.	David MacDonald, Trenton, Ont.
J. A. McMillan, R.R. 2, Campbellford.	*J. G. B. Clarke, R.R. 1, Westbrooke, Ont.
Chas. E. Dougan, Ph.D., Trenton, Ont.	R. D. Glenn, R.R. 2, Stella, Amherst Island

14.—PRESBYTERY OF PETERBOROUGH

B. Simpson Black, B.D., Campbellford.	J. F. McGregor, Campbellford, Ont.
Alfred T. Barr, Ph.D., Peterborough, Ont.	J. M. Simpson, B.A., Lakefield, Ont.

15.—PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY

J. C. Grier, B.A., Lindsay, Ont.	T. C. Leask, Uxbridge, Ont.
P. T. Meek, B.A., Uxbridge, Ont.	Edgar R. Broad, Cresswell, Ont.

16.—PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO

Ministers	*Elders*
Joseph Wasson, Toronto, Ont.	E. W. McNeill, Toronto, Ont.
Thomas Eakin, D.D., Toronto, Ont.	George Beare, Toronto, Ont.
W. T. McCree, M.A., Toronto, Ont.	*A. N. Tomlinson, Toronto, Ont.
H. M. Coulter, B.A., Brampton, Ont.	Hugh B. Purchase, Toronto, Ont.
C. K. Nicoll, Oakville, Ont.	James M. Tomlinson, Toronto, Ont.
Michael Fesenko, Th.B., Toronto, Ont.	H. B. Death, R.R. 1, Port Credit, Ont.
J. R. Sanderson, B.D., Toronto, Ont.	James Smith, Toronto, Ont.
J. A. Hilts, Toronto, Ont.	James B. Greig, Aurora, Ont.
J. G. Inkster, D.D., Toronto, Ont.	H. Morom, Toronto, Ont.
C. H. Bowman, Maple, Ont.	Wm. Douglas, Toronto, Ont.
S. C. Parker, D.D., Toronto, Ont.	David Richardson, Toronto, Ont.
Edgar Foreman, B.A., Toronto 3, Ont.	William Wallace, Toronto, Ont.

17.—PRESBYTERY OF ORANGEVILLE

J. H. Woodside, LL.D., Orangeville, Ont.	Harry Laughlin, R.R. 1, Alton, Ont.

18.—PRESBYTERY OF BARRIE

E. Orsborn, Thornbury, Ont.	J. S. Gibson, Gravenhurst, Ont.
J. S. Shortt, D.D., Barrie, Ont.	James Cameron, Collingwood, Ont.
B. D. Armstrong, B.A., Uptergrove, Ont.	D. F. Jacobs, Barrie, Ont.
W. Coutts, B.A., Stayner, Ont.	*T. G. Idle, Thornbury, Ont.

19.—PRESBYTERY OF NORTH BAY AND TEMISKAMING

E. J. Kerr, New Liskeard, Ont.	P. J. O'Neil, North Bay, Ont.

20.—PRESBYTERY OF ALGOMA

W. M. Mackay, B.A., Weston, Ont.	Jas. W. Brownlee, Sudbury, Ont.

21.—PRESBYTERY OF SAUGEEN

T. L. Williams, B.D., Harriston, Ont.	A. E. Riddell, Palmerston, Ont.

22.—PRESBYTERY OF GUELPH

E. A. Thomson, B.A., Elora, Ont.	J. F. Carmichael, B.A., Kitchener, Ont.
J. D. Smart, Ph.D., Galt, Ont.	J. Kennedy, R.R. 2, Campbellville, Ont.
W. Patterson, M.A., Preston, Ont.	T. Ballantine, Preston, Ont.

IV.—SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

23.—PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON

Ministers	*Elders*
S. Bank Nelson, D.D., Hamilton, Ont.	Judge G. S. Stanbury, St. Catharines, Ont.
Wm. Barclay, B.D., Hamilton, Ont.	J. W. Marshall, B.A., Niagara Falls, Ont.
Peter A. Dunn, B.D., Hamilton, Ont.	H. F. Burkholder, Hamilton, Ont.
N. D. MacDonald, Ph.D., Hamilton, Ont.	*C. M. Aldridge, Caledonia, Ont.
Robert Allan, Hamilton, Ont.	J. H. Riddell, Dunnville, Ont.
G. Lloyd Evans, Jarvis, Ont.	Maurice Sharpe, R.R., Ancaster, Ont.

24.—PRESBYTERY OF PARIS

E. C. McCullagh, B.A., Brantford, Ont.	Andrew Matheson, Embro, Ont.
E. G. Thompson, M.A., Woodstock, Ont.	James S. Cuthbert, B.A., Ingersoll, Ont.

25.—PRESBYTERY OF LONDON

Walter Moffat, Fingal, Ont.	Robert B. McKellar, R.R. 3, Glencoe, Ont.
John McNair, D.D., London, Ont.	*Peter Laing, Jr., St. Thomas, Ont.
D. C. Soules, B.D., St. Thomas, Ont.	John Fairweather, R.R. 4, Thorndale, Ont.
James H. Moore, B.A., Wallacetown, Ont.	William Forbes, London, Ont.

26.—PRESBYTERY OF CHATHAM

M. Scott Fulton, D.D., Chatham, Ont.	Dr. J. R. MacPherson, Duart, Ont.
C. A. McRae, D.D., Windsor, Ont.	John A. McLachlin, Dresden, Ont.

27.—PRESBYTERY OF SARNIA

James Milroy, Sarnia, Ont.	Duncan Gordon, R.R. 3, Petrolia, Ont.
R. J. Hay, B.A., Petrolia, Ont.	D. A. McKinlay, R.R., Alvinston, Ont.
D. Ritchie, B.A., Point Edward, Ont.	Donald McLeay, R.R., Watford, Ont.

28.—PRESBYTERY OF STRATFORD

Oliver E. Mann, R.R. 3, Embro, Ont.	Edgar Allen, Cromarty, Ont.
J. M. McCurlie, R.R. 4, Atwood, Ont.	*W. F. Dalling, Monkton, Ont.
Samuel Kerr, B.D., R.R. 2, St. Paul's.	E. G. MacDonald, Listowel, Ont.

29.—PRESBYTERY OF HURON

W. A. Young, B.Sc.A., Hensall, Ont.	J. G. Mullen, Seaforth, Ont.

30.—PRESBYTERY OF MAITLAND

Ministers	*Elders*
W. A. Williams, R.R. 3, Brussels, Ont.	*David Fortune, R.R. 1, Wingham, Ont.
Kenneth MacLean, B.A., Wingham, Ont.	E. Stanley Dunbar, Ethel, Ont.

31.—PRESBYTERY OF BRUCE

P. Reith, Tara, Ont.	Norman R. Shaw, Walkerton, Ont.

V.—SYNOD OF MANITOBA

32.—PRESBYTERY OF SUPERIOR

John A. McMahon, B.A., Port Arthur.	E. W. Byers, Kenora, Ont.

33.—PRESBYTERY OF WINNIPEG

P. F. MacSween, R.R. 1, Winnipeg, Man.	Arthur Evans, Norwood, Winnipeg, Man.
David Johnstone, Winnipeg, Man.	S. H. Summerscales, Winnipeg, Man.

34.—PRESBYTERY OF BRANDON

W. J. Allen, Brandon, Man.	D. W. Yuill, M.A., Melita, Man.

VI.—SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

35.—PRESBYTERY OF REGINA

Samuel Farley, M.A., Regina, Sask.	E. J. Stevens, Qu'Appelle, Sask.

36.—PRESBYTERY OF MOOSE JAW

C. Younger-Lewis, B.A., Swift Current.	W. W. Stewart, Assiniboia, Sask.

37.—PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE ALBERT

W. W. Moore, B.A., Mistawasis, Sask.	William Bird, Mistawasis, Sask.

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VII.—SYNOD OF ALBERTA

39.—PRESBYTERY OF PEACE RIVER

Ministers	*Elders*
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40.—PRESBYTERY OF EDMONTON

F. D. Roxburgh, D.D., Edmonton, Alta.	Geo. Hazlett, Edmonton, Alta.
R. J. Burton, Edmonton, Alta.	W. T. Tait, Edmonton, Alta.

41.—PRESBYTERY OF RED DEER

R. L. Taylor, B.A., Innisfail, Alta.	A. L. Stewart, Evarts, Alta.

42.—PRESBYTERY OF CALGARY

R. H. Williams, B.D., Calgary, Alta.	J. D. Broad, Calgary, Alta.
D. B. Cram, Three Hills, Alta.	George Munro, Calgary, Alta.

43.—PRESBYTERY OF MACLEOD

Arthur J. Sinclair, B.D., Macleod, Alta.	*John Garrett, Lethbridge, Alta.

VIII.—SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

44.—PRESBYTERY OF KOOTENAY

*James F. Bell, Cranbrook, B.C.	James May, Nelson, B.C.

45.—PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER

Alex. Esler, D.D., Vancouver, B.C.	G. W. Ledingham, Vancouver, B.C.
J. S. Patterson, N. Vancouver, B.C.	Thos. R. Wallace, Vancouver, B.C.
D. Lister, Th.D., Vancouver, B.C.	Dr. T. G. Thompson, North Vancouver.
Sydney J. Sharkey, B.A., New Westminster, B.C.	A. H. McRobbie, Vancouver, B.C.

46.—PRESBYTERY OF VICTORIA

James Hyde, Victoria, B.C.	T. Wardlaw Taylor, D.D., Goderich, Ont.
T. H. McAllister, Victoria, B.C.	Wm. Inglis, Nanaimo, B.C.

47.—PRESBYTERY OF VINDHIYA AND SATPURA MOUNTAIN BHIL

John Buchanan, D.D., Amkhut, C.I.	Lyman Brown, B.A., Owen Sound, Ont.

Election of Moderator

Dr. Munroe then called upon the Assembly to elect a Moderator to preside over the deliberations of this Assembly, when the following names were placed in nomination:— Mr. Peter Reith, Dr. D. MacOdrum, Mr. W. M. Mackay, Mr. Samuel Farley, Dr. Stuart C. Parker.

Mr. Farley, and Mr. W. M. Mackay asked and obtained leave to withdraw their names, and the Moderator declared the nominations closed.

Dr. Barr moved, duly seconded, that the vote be taken by ballot, and it was so ordered.

Thereafter, a vote having been taken, it was announced as being in favour of Dr. Donald MacOdrum, who was conducted to the chair by his mover and seconder, and was welcomed by the retiring Moderator.

In suitable terms, Dr. MacOdrum addressed the Assembly, offering thanks for the honour conferred upon him, and asking the consideration and aid of the Assembly in his discharge of the duties of the moderatorship.

Thanks to the Retiring Moderator

On motion of Dr. Taylor, duly seconded, the thanks of the Assembly were tendered to Dr. Hugh Munroe, the retiring Moderator, for the efficient manner in which the duties of his office had been discharged during the year, and for the excellent sermon by him now delivered.

Synod Records

The records of the several Synods were then called for.

Report of the Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business, which was given in and read by Dr. MacNamara, and being received and considered, was adopted as follows:—

1. That, with a view to having the attendance accurately recorded, each member be requested to write upon a card, which has been provided for the purpose, his name, home address, and the Presbytery which he represents, and to hand it in to the Registration Office, together with his Railway Ticket, receiving in return therefor a copy of the Stitched Reports to be submitted to this Assembly.

2. That the Sederunts of the Assembly be from 10 o'clock in the morning until 12.30; from 2.30 to 5.30 in the afternoon, and from 8 to 10 in the evening.

3. That, in accordance with the instructions of Assembly, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper be observed at the morning Sederunt tomorrow, and that the service be conducted by the Moderator, assisted by Mr. Joseph Wasson, and that the following Elders be appointed to serve at the Communion service: Mr. John Wilson, Mr. E. W. McNeill, Mr. L. G. McKeigan, Mr. J. Porteous, Mr. James Wilson, Mr. C. M. Pitts, Mr. T. C. Leask, Mr. Wm. Douglas, Mr. J. W. Marshall, Mr. E. W. Byers, Mr. Lyman Brown, Mr. W. T. Tait, Mr. James Stevens, Mr. G. W. Ledingham, Mr. Norman Shaw, Mr. T. Ballantine.

4. That the Committee on Bills and Overtures be composed as follows: Clerks of Assembly, Clerks of Synods and Presbyteries who are Commissioners, and the following: Mr. E. A. Thomson, Convener; Mr. John Riddell, Mr. F. G. MacDonald, Mr. William Moore, Mr. C. K. Nicoll, Ministers; and Mr. M. J. Stewart, Mr. W. J. Morton, Mr. H. F. Burkholder and Mr. A. Renshaw, Elders.

5. That the following constitute the Business Committee of Assembly: Clerks of Assembly, Mr. J. C. Grier, Convener; Mr. Walter Patterson, Mr. E. J. White, Dr. J. H. Woodside, Ministers; and Mr. J. G. Calkin, Mr. D. F. Jacobs and Mr. A. N. Tomlinson, Elders.

6. That the following be appointed a committee on the Roll of Assembly and leave to withdraw: Mr. J. MacBeath Miller, Convener; Mr. J. Lloyd Hughes, Mr. E. C. McCullagh, Mr. A. J. Sinclair, Ministers; and Mr. W. D. MacLeod, Mr. John McFarlane and Mr. J. S. Gibson, Elders.

7. That the Committee on Sabbath Services be the Moderator, Clerks of Assembly, Mr. Joseph Wasson, Dr. J. S. Shortt, Dr. N. A. MacLeod, Ministers; and Mr. F. A. McDiarmid and Mr. E. G. MacDonald, Elders.

8. That the Committee to examine the Records of Assembly and the Synods be as follows: the first named of each Committee to act as Convener thereof with instructions to report as soon as possible.

The General Assembly—Dr. George E. Ross, Dr. William Patterson, Ministers; and Mr. D. M. Rowat, Elder.

The Maritime Synod—Mr. R. H. Williams, Mr. R. L. Taylor, Ministers; and Mr. George Munro, Elder.

Synod of Montreal and Ottawa—Mr. J. A. Hilts, Mr. P. T. Meek, Ministers; and Mr. J. M. Tomlinson, Elder.

Synod of Toronto and Kingston—Dr. N. D. MacDonald, Mr. S. Lloyd Evans, Ministers; and Mr. J. S. Cuthbert, Elder.

Synod of Hamilton and London—Mr. David Johnstone, Mr. P. F. MacSween, Ministers; and Mr. D. Yuill, Elder.

Synod of Manitoba—Mr. James F. Bell, Mr. J. S. Patterson, Ministers; and Mr. Wm. Inglis, Elder.

Synod of Saskatchewan—Mr. J. R. Graham, Mr. Wm. Fitzsimons, Ministers; and Mr. Donald A. Gray, Elder.

Synod of Alberta—Dr. John McNair, Mr. R. J. Hay, Ministers; and Mr. Wm. Forbes, Elder.

Synod of British Columbia—Mr. C. Younger-Lewis, Mr. C. A. R. Rowat, Ministers; and Mr. J. W. Walker, Elder.

9. That the following be appointed as members of the Committee to Strike Standing Committees: Mr. C. H. MacDonald, Convener; Dr. A. S. Reid, Mr. J. A. McMahon, Mr. R. J. Burton, Dr. Alex. Esler, Mr. James Wilson, Dr. H. Munroe, Dr. R. Johnston, Dr. J. S. Shortt, Mr. P. Reith, Ministers; Mr. S. H. Summerscales, Mr. J. D. Broad, Mr. James May, Mr. Jas. Stevens, Mr. Edmund MacDonald, Mr. James Wilson, Mr. George Beare, and Mr. James Love, Elders.

10. That the Moderator be requested to name a Committee to confer with the Moderator in nominating Committees, and that a Committee on Resolutions be appointed by the Moderator.

11. That the pews from the front of the Church back to the twelfth pew be reserved exclusively for Commissioners.

12. That the official photograph of the Assembly be taken tomorrow immediately at the close of the morning Sederunt.

13. That the Assembly consider the advisability of setting apart during the coming Sessions, a special period of prayer and supplication for the Church, her needs and her activities at home and abroad, and for the nations of the world and their rulers and lawmakers, in view of the distressing and sorrowful conditions existing in the world today.

Upon motion, duly seconded, the thirteenth recommendation was referred to the Moderator for his consideration and such action as may commend itself to his judgment.

LEAVE TO SIT

Permission to sit during the next Sederunt was granted by the Assembly to the Board of Education.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place tomorrow at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

SECOND SEDERUNT

At Toronto, and within Calvin Church there, the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment.

According to the appointment of the Assembly at its last Sederunt, the Moderator conducted divine worship and administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. In this he was assisted by Mr. Joseph Wasson. The table was served by the Elders appointed.

The Moderator then constituted the Assembly with prayer.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business which was given in and read by Mr. J. C. Grier, Convener, on whose motion, duly seconded, it was received and adopted, and the business of the Assembly was ordered accordingly.

LEAVE TO SIT

At the request of the Convener, the Assembly granted permission to sit during this Sederunt to the Committee on Bills and Overtures.

DELEGATES

Dr. J. Gibson Inkster introduced to the General Assembly the Right Reverend Bishop W. C. White who brought greetings on behalf of the

Church of England in Canada, in the unavoidable absence of Archbishop Owen.

Dr. W. M. Rochester introduced to the Assembly Dr. T. C. Pollock of Philadelphia, who brought greetings from the Western Section of the Alliance of Reformed Churches, and commended to the Assembly the work of the Alliance.

The Moderator, on behalf of the Assembly, thanked the delegates for their cordial greetings and inspiring messages.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON "THE RECORD"

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on *The Record*. This, as printed, and setting forth the work accomplished by the Committee during the year, was submitted by Dr. W. M. Rochester, in the absence of Dr. J. B. Paulin, the Convener.

Upon the motion of Mr. E. W. McNeill, seconded by Dr. W. Patterson, it was agreed to receive and consider the report with its recommendations as printed.

It was agreed to delete certain words in the second paragraph referring to the budget contributions for the year 1937.

The recommendation as printed was adopted. Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CORRESPONDENCE

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Correspondence with Other Churches, which was given in by Dr. W. M. Rochester, in the absence of Mr. F. G. Vesey, the Convener. Mr. E. W. McNeill moved the reception and consideration of the report. This being duly seconded was adopted.

The recommendation of a grant of $250.00 for the relief of the Evangelical Churches of Europe was adopted on motion of Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor, duly seconded.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was referred back to the Committee to consider and report later.

MINUTES

The Minutes of the first Sederunt were presented in printed form and were sustained.

LEAVE TO SIT

Permission to sit during Sederunts was granted to the Committee to Strike Standing Committees.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place this afternoon at half past two o'clock, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the benediction by the Moderator.

THIRD SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

The Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

Committee to Advise with the Moderator

The Moderator submitted and the Assembly accepted the following as a Committee to advise with the Moderator in the appointment of Committees: Dr. N. A. MacLeod, Mr. E. C. McCullagh, Mr. W. T. McCree, Ministers; Mr. J. G. Calkin and Mr. D. Yuill, Elders.

Report on Roll

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee appointed to examine the Roll of the General Assembly, and to mark, and report on any corrections which may be necessary. This was given in and read by Mr. J. MacBeath Miller, the Convener, upon whose motion, duly seconded, it was received, considered seriatim, and adopted, the following changes being made in the Roll:—

Presbytery of Montreal—Mr. J. A. Weatherbee, Verdun, in place of Mr. Gilbert Scott, Elder; Presbytery of Peterborough—Mr. J. M. Simpson, Lakefield, in place of Mr. Thomas Wright, Elder; Presbytery of Lindsay—Mr. Edgar R. Broad, Cresswell, Elder, added to representation of Presbytery; Presbytery of Toronto—Mr. Michael Fesenko and Mr. C. H. Bowman, in place of Mr. R. J. Koffend and Mr. F. G. Vesey, Ministers; Presbytery of Chatham—Mr. J. R. Macpherson, M.D., Duart and Mr. J. A. McLachlin, Dresden, in place of Mr. James Love and Mr. Wm. M. Foreman, Elders; Presbytery of Sarnia—Mr. Duncan Gordon, R.R. 3, Petrolia, in place of Mr. Dan McKinlay, Elder; Presbytery of Winnipeg—Mr. Arthur Evans, Winnipeg, in place of Mr. A. Renshaw, Elder.

Bills and Overtures

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Bills and Overtures, which was submitted by the Convener, Mr. E. A. Thomson, who recommended as follows:—

That Overtures to place names of ministers on Constituent Rolls of Presbyteries Nos, 4, 8, 9, 11, 17, 21, 22—unprinted Nos. 2 and 3, and unprinted Orangeville Presbytery *re* Mr. A. H. Barker, be referred to a Committee to be appointed by the Moderator.

That Overtures 5, 7 and 13 be referred to a Committee to be appointed by the Moderator.

That Overtures 1, 3 and 16 be sent to the Board of Education to report.

That Overture 12 be taken up with the Report of Knox College.

That Overture 2 be referred to the Committee on Correspondence with Other Churches.

That Overture 6 be given an early place on the docket of the Assembly by the Business Committee.

That Overtures 10 and 15 be referred to the Board of Education to report.

That Overtures 14 and 18 be referred to the Board of Missions with instructions to report.

That Overture 19 be referred to a Committee to be appointed by the Moderator.

That Overture 20 be committed to the Board of S.S., and Y.P.S.

That Overture 24 be referred to the Historical Committee with the recommendation that they consult with the Commissioners from the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island, and report.

That unprinted Overture 1, be referred to the Pension Board to report.

That Overture, Presbytery of Montreal, unprinted, be referred to the Board of Administration to report to this Assembly.

Petitions and Appeals

No. 1—That Petition of Queen's Road Congregational Church, St. John's, Newfoundland, be referred to a Committee to be appointed by the Moderator.

Re No. 2, Appeal of Dr. M. M. MacOdrum against action of the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland; Inasmuch as the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland were obeying the injunction of the Synod of the Maritime Provinces in receiving the Westminster group in the City of Sydney, as a congregation of the Church, and no appeal had been made against the judgment of the Synod at the time, we recommend that the appeal of Dr. MacOdrum against the action of the Presbytery be dismissed.

No. 3—Petition of Dr. John Taylor, *re* action of the Presbytery of Brockville. Inasmuch as the Moderator of the present Assembly is a member of the said Presbytery of Brockville, we recommend that this Petition be referred to the following special Judicial Committee—Dr. J. S. Shortt, Convener; Dr. J. D. Smart, Dr. J. H. Woodside, Ministers; and Messrs. J. W. Marshall and J. F. McGregor, Elders.

No. 4—Appeal of Mr. W. Rutherford against the decision of the former Assembly. In this appeal of Mr. W. Rutherford of Stratford, no further evidence which would justify the re-opening of this case having been submitted, this Committee recommends that the appeal be not considered.

No. 5—Petition of Mr. E. MacQueen, Vancouver, Inasmuch as this appeal has not come regularly to us through a Presbytery, we recommend that Mr. MacQueen prepare all details with regard to his case and transmit the same through his Presbytery to the General Assembly one year hence.

No. 6—Petition of the Presbytery of Toronto *re* a Press Committee of the General Assembly, we recommend that this Petition be referred to the Committee appointed to advise with the Moderator.

The following organizations, The British and Foreign Bible Society, The Lord's Day Alliance of Canada, and the Ontario Temperance Federation having applied through their general Secretaries for permission to address the Assembly on their work, we recommend that the Business

Committee be requested to provide places on the docket for the presentation of their work.

Mr. Thomson moved, duly seconded, that the report, with its recommendations, be received and adopted, and it was so agreed.

Petitioners to be Heard

Before the Assembly left the report of the Committee on Bills and Overtures, Dr. M. M. MacOdrum and Mr. Wm. Rutherford, Petitioners whose Petitions had been rejected by the Committee, claimed their right to be heard by the Assembly.

Upon the motion of Dr. Taylor, seconded by Dr. N. A. MacLeod, it was agreed that a committee of three be appointed to meet with Dr. MacOdrum and Mr. Wm. Rutherford, and to report to the Assembly at a later Sederunt, when Dr. MacOdrum and Mr. Rutherford may have full opportunity to exercise their constitutional right.

Report of the General Board of Missions

The Assembly called for the report of the General Board of Missions, which was given in by Dr. A. M. Hill, the Convener, who spoke briefly of the work of the Board, calling special attention to several outstanding features of the report.

He then moved, duly seconded, that the report be received and its recommendations be considered seriatim. This was agreed to. Dr. Hill then moved, duly seconded, and it was agreed that recommendations Nos. 1 and 2 as printed be held over until certain Overtures bearing on these recommendations are reported upon. The following recommendations amending present Rules and Regulations governing Foreign Missionaries were then considered seriatim and dealt with as follows:—

No. 3—(1) Foreign Mission Councils; (2) Travel to and from the Field; (3) Allowance for outfit; (4) Salaries; (5) Children's Allowances; (6) Vacation Allowances; (7) Rent Allowance; (8) Medical Attention on Field, Medical Examination, Medical Expenses on Furlough; (9) British Guiana Short Leave; (10) Withdrawal Allowance; (11) Above changes effective January 1st, 1939. Were all Approved.

No. 4—*Re* Three year rule. Agreed that this be held over for further consideration.

No. 5—*Re* Dr. Buchanan Retirement—Approved.

Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

Women's Missionary Society

The Assembly called for the reports of the Women's Missionary Society, Eastern and Western Divisions.

The printed report of the Eastern Section was presented by Mrs. G. E. Ross, the President, who brought to the notice of the Assembly some of the especial difficulties and encouragements of their work. Upon the motion of Mr. E. W. McNeill, seconded by Dr. T. W. Taylor, the report was received and adopted.

Mrs. W. A. McLennan, President of the Western Division, gave in the printed report of that Division of the Society, and in speaking to it, drew

particular attention to recent developments, both in the Home and Foreign Field.

Upon the motion of Mr. W. M. Mackay, seconded by Mr. Peter Dunn, the report was received and adopted.

Report of Church Extension and Church and Manse Funds

The Assembly called for the reports of the Trustees of the Church Extension Fund and also of the Church and Manse Fund. These, together with cash statements for the twelve months ending January 31st, 1938, were given in by Dr. J. G. Inkster, Acting Convener, owing to the death of the former Convener, Dr. A. J. MacGillivray.

Upon motion of Dr. J. G. Inkster, seconded by Mr. E. W. McNeill, it was agreed that the report be received and adopted.

Report on Statistics and Finance

The Assembly called for the report on Statistics and Finance, which, together with the detailed returns from Presbyteries and congregations and summary statements by Synods, was given in, in printed form, by the Clerk, Dr. J. W. MacNamara.

Dr. A. S. Reid moved, seconded by Mr. C. M. Pitts, the reception and adoption of the report, and that the Assembly record its appreciation of the services in this connection of Dr. MacNamara, Miss Kerr, and the members of the statistical staff. This was agreed to.

Dr. McNair moved that hereafter the column recording the mortgage indebtedness of congregations be omitted, and in its place, there be reported the amount of the augmentation grant received during the year.

Mr. C. M. Pitts moved in amendment that the column reporting Mortgage indebtedness be retained, but that the details of grants to Augmented Charges be appended and printed in connection with the report of the General Board of Missions. This was seconded by Mr. E. W. McNeill. Upon the vote being taken the amendment prevailed and became the judgment of the Court.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at eight o'clock this evening, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the benediction by the Moderator.

FOURTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Mr. Wm. Barclay leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Committee on Sabbath Services

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Sabbath Services. For the Committee Dr. MacNamara reported recommending that

the Assembly appoint Dr. Robert Johnston to preach in the Assembly Church in the morning, and Mr. James McNeill to preach in the evening. Upon motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

Report on Roll

Mr. J. MacBeath Miller, Convener of the Committee on the Roll of the Assembly, asked leave to submit a further interim report, which being granted, he moved the report be received and its recommendations considered. The motion was seconded and agreed to. Being so considered, the report was adopted, and the changes indicated were ordered as follows:—

1. Presbytery of Prince Edward Island—That Mr. J. C. McNeill be substituted for Dr. R. Moorhead-Legate, Minister.

2. Presbytery of Montreal—That Dr. A. M. Hill be substituted for Dr. I. A. Montgomery, Minister.

Home Missions

Dr. A. M. Hill, Convener of the General Board of Missions, introduced to the Assembly Dr. Robert Johnston, Convener of the Sub-Executive for Home Missions, who addressed the Assembly and referred briefly to the work carried on during the year. He called attention to some of the problems existing in parts of the Dominion today, such as in New Brunswick, Quebec, the newer mining camps in Northern Quebec, Northern Ontario, the Gold fields district in Northern Alberta, and the steps taken by the Board to meet the situation in these districts.

Dr. Hill then introduced Mrs. Steinmetz who spoke upon the work carried on by our Church among the Hungarians in Toronto, and the efforts of the congregation to erect a place of worship of their own with the co-operation of the Board and of the W.M.S. (W.D.).

Mr. Michael Fesenko was then introduced to the Assembly by Dr. Hill, and spoke of the work carried on among the Ukrainians. He explained the circumstances under which large numbers of these people came to Canada and settled here. He referred to present conditions among the Ukrainians in this country, and the call for active measures by the Protestant Churches to bring these people into touch with the Gospel of Jesus Christ and to inculcate Christian and Canadian principles and ideals. Mr. Fesenko described the work carried on in his congregation in Toronto, and the difficulties with which they have to contend.

Dr. Hill then called upon Mr. James McNeill, Minister of St. Andrew's Church, St. John's, Newfoundland, who congratulated the Moderator upon his election to the high office, and assured him of a cordial welcome should he visit Newfoundland during his Moderatorial year. Mr. McNeill spoke of conditions in the ancient colony, and some of the difficult and serious problems that have to be faced there, the rich natural resources that should be developed, the extreme poverty that exists on the Island and the need of medical care. He referred to the educational system in operation. He also pointed out that his congregation raises its Budget Allocation, while at the same time the local needs and problems are most serious and pressing, and place a heavy burden upon the congregation of St. Andrew's. He appealed for help for the establishment of an institution for the care of destitute children.

Dr. Hill, on behalf of the General Board of Missions, thanked the speakers for their helpful and inspiring addresses.

Special Committees Appointed

The Moderator named the following, who were accepted by the Assembly, as the Committees called for by the report of the Committee on Bills and Overtures:—

1. To place names on Constituent Rolls of Presbyteries—Dr. William Patterson, Mr. Kenneth McCaskill and Mr. John A. McMahon, Ministers; and Mr. James D. Sergeant and Mr. H. F. Burkholder, Elders.

2. To consider Overtures 5, 7, and 13—Mr. C. K. Nicoll, Dr. J. D. Smart and Mr. P. F. MacSween, Ministers; and Mr. D. Yuill and Mr. Lyman Brown, Elders.

3. To consider Overture 19—Dr. Hugh Munroe, Mr. E. G. Thompson and Mr. Peter Reith, Ministers; and Mr. J. Porteous and Mr. E. G. MacDonald, Elders.

4. To consider Petition of Queen's Road Congregational Church, St. John's—Dr. Allan S. Reid, Dr. A. T. Barr and Mr. J. A. Hilts, Ministers; and Mr. Wm. Douglas and J. F. Carmichael, Elders.

5. To consider the Petition of Toronto Presbytery *re* Press Committee Mr. Walter Patterson and Mr. P. T. Meek Uxbridge, Ministers; and Mr. William Forbes, Elder.

Special Committee to Confer

The Moderator also nominated the following, who were accepted by the Assembly, as a Special Committee to confer with Dr. M. M. MacOdrum and Mr. Wm. Rutherford—Mr. Peter Dunn and Mr. Kenneth MacLean, Ministers; and Judge Stanbury, Elder.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at ten o'clock tomorrow morning, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the benediction by the Moderator.

FIFTH SEDERUNT

At Toronto, and within Calvin Church there, the third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Mr. J. C. Grier leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Report of the Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business which was given in and read by Mr. J. C. Grier, Convener, on whose motion, duly seconded, it was received and adopted, and the business of the Assembly was ordered accordingly.

Report of the Board of Administration

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of Administration, which was given in by Mr. C. M. Pitts, the Chairman, who addressed the Court directing particular attention to the outstanding features in the report as printed. He concluded by moving that the report be received and its recommendations considered seriatim. This was seconded by Dr. J. G. Inkster and carried. The further consideration of the report was adjourned to a future Sederunt.

Treasurer's Report

The Assembly called for the report of the Treasurer, which was given in by Mr. E. W. McNeill, the Treasurer, who submitted the consolidated balance sheet as certified by the auditors and printed. Mr. McNeill moved, duly seconded, that the report be received and considered. This was agreed to. Further consideration of the report was deferred to the afternoon Sederunt.

Minutes

The Minutes of the second, third and fourth Sederunts were submitted in printed form and were sustained.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at half past two o'clock in the afternoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

SIXTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Dr. Hugh Munroe leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

In response to the recommendation of the Committee on Business made at the opening Sederunt, the Moderator set apart the first hour for prayer and supplication, as suggested. The Moderator was assisted in the service by Dr. H. Munroe and Mr. P. Reith.

Report of Special Committee *re* Appointment of a Press Committee

Mr. W. Patterson on behalf of the Committee appointed to consider the Petition from the Presbytery of Toronto asking for the appointment by the General Assembly of a Press Committee, reported and recommended as follows:— "That in the judgment of your Committee the present method is most satisfactory."

Mr. Patterson moved, duly seconded, the reception and adoption of the report. This was agreed to.

Visit from the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario

The Moderator welcomed His Honour Mr. Albert Matthews, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, who brought a cordial message of greetings upon behalf of the people of the Province, and spoke upon the assured loyalty to the Crown of the people of the Church, and of the national need of the Gospel. His Honour closed with a warm appreciation of the position and standards of The Presbyterian Church.

For the Assembly, the Moderator thanked His Honour for his great courtesy in visiting the Assembly and for his most heartening message.

Civic Delegation

Thereafter His Worship, the Mayor of Toronto, brought to the Assembly the greetings of the Council and citizens. The Moderator assured Mayor Day that the Assembly greatly appreciated his words of welcome.

Treasurer's Report

The Assembly resumed consideration of the Treasurer's Report, Dr. H. Munroe speaking to the report, as agreed upon at the previous Sederunt.

Dr. R. Johnston moved, seconded by Mr. C. M. Pitts, that the report be adopted. This was approved unanimously.

Report of Budget and Stewardship Committee

The Assembly called for the report of the Budget and Stewardship Committee, which was given by Mr. Wm. Barclay, the Convener, together with a summary of Budget receipts tabulated by Presbyteries and Synods.

He outlined the plan proposed for clearing off the accumulated Budget Deficit. He concluded by moving that the report be received and the recommendations as printed be considered seriatim. This was seconded by Mr. C. M. Pitts.

Mr. E. C. McCullagh spoke to the report, and gave details of the proposed plan.

The motion to receive and consider was then adopted.

Upon the motion of Mr. Jas. Hyde, duly seconded, it was agreed to take up the recommendations of the Budget and Stewardship Committee forthwith.

The Convener agreed to amend the first recommendation by deleting the words "a tenth of income for the Lord's work," and the recommendation as so amended was adopted.

The second, third and fourth recommendations were adopted unanimously.

The fifth recommendation was then considered.

The Convener agreed that this recommendation be amended to read "also that no allocation in respect of this plan is set for congregations or Presbyteries."

Mr. Grier moved in amendment, seconded by Dr. McNair:— "That all Kirk Sessions be required by October 1st, 1938, to appoint collectors, who shall canvass those within the membership of the congregation to secure money for the liquidation of the accumulated deficit of the Budget Fund,

and that acknowledgment of such contributions be made in the Assembly records.''

The order of the day having arrived, it was agreed upon the motion of Dr. Johnston, duly seconded, that the further consideration of this report be made a fixed order for the hour of three o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

The British and Foreign Bible Society

Rev. J. B. M. Armour, General Secretary of the British and Foreign Bible Society, was welcomed by the Moderator, and briefly addressed the Assembly upon the work of the Society. He presented a copy of the Bible printed in Gaelic to the Moderator, and congratulated him upon his election to his present high position.

The Moderator thanked Mr. Armour for his inspiring message, and for the gift of the Bible.

Mr. Joseph Wasson submitted the following resolution, which upon his motion, seconded by Dr. Woodside, was adopted. ''The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada once more expresses its thankfulness to Almighty God for the remarkable achievements of the British and Foreign Bible Society during a year of profound unrest in world affairs. It rejoices that in this 400th Anniversary Year of the open Bible in English, to be specially observed on Sunday, 19th June, 1938, a Society born in England over 134 years ago has opened the Scriptures in 723 languages to the peoples of the world. It commends the Society in Canada and Newfoundland, through its various Auxiliaries, to the generous and prayerful support of all its faithful people.''

Bills and Overtures

Mr. E. A. Thomson, Convener, submitted a further report, and recommended *re* Printed Overture No. 23, from New St. James Session, London, that since this Overture has not come to the Assembly regularly through a Presbytery, that it be not considered. The report was adopted.

Committee on Roll

The Assembly took up the consideration of the report of the Committee on the Roll when, upon the motion of Dr. Munroe, duly seconded, the report was referred back to the committee to bring in a recommendation.

Leave to Withdraw

For the Special Committee on Leave, the Convener, Mr. J. MacBeath Miller, reported recommending, and the Assembly agreed, that permission to withdraw from further attendance on the Assembly be granted to the following Commissioners:— Mr. James Cameron and Mr. James H. Brownlee.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at eight o'clock in the evening, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

SEVENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Dr. A. T. Barr leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Foreign Missions

Dr. A. M. Hill, the Convener outlined briefly the policy of the Board in connection with the work under its direction in foreign lands. He then introduced to the Assembly Mr. Fred Knox, a recent graduate of Knox College, who has been appointed as a Missionary to the Bhil field, India. Mr. Knox briefly addressed the Assembly.

Mrs. W. A. McLennan, President of the W.M.S. (W.D.) at the request of Dr. Hill introduced Mrs. Langdon Gehman, R.N., and Miss Helena W. Gibbs who have been appointed to our field in Manchuria, and Miss Isabel Taylor who is home on furlough from Formosa. In the name of the Assembly the Moderator welcomed these Missionaries. Miss Taylor then addressed the Assembly, conveying greetings from the North Formosa Mission Council, and described some phases of the work carried on in that field, and recent developments in the evangelistic, educational, and medical work. She referred also to the increased measure of co-operation with the South Formosa Mission in recent years.

Mr. James Dunn was introduced by Dr. Hill and brought greetings to the Assembly from the Mission Council and the Church in British Guiana. He spoke of the work in that field, along educational and evangelistic lines.

The Moderator welcomed Dr. John Buchanan, the Veteran Missionary from the Bhil field, India.

Dr. Buchanan then addressed the Assembly, and referred to his experiences of nearly fifty years in India. He paid loving tribute to the devoted service rendered by the late Miss Soutar and by Miss Bertha Robson.

The Moderator in the name of the Assembly thanked the speakers for their helpful messages.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place tomorrow at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

EIGHTH SEDERUNT

At Toronto, and within Calvin Church there, the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Mr. K. MacLean leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Report of the Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business, which was given and read by Mr. J. C. Grier, Convener, on whose motion,

duly seconded, it was received and adopted, and the business of the Assembly was ordered accordingly.

Special Committee on Resolutions

The Moderator named, and the Assembly accepted, the following as the Special Committee on Resolutions:— Dr. Hugh Munroe, Convener, Dr. G. E. Ross, Mr. W. T. McCree, Ministers; and Mr. F. A. McDiarmid, Elder.

Report on Roll

For the Committee on the Roll of the Assembly, Mr. J. MacBeath Miller asked permission to present an additional report. This being granted, he moved, duly seconded, and it was agreed to as follows:—

The name of Mr. Cameron MacLauchlan, Presbytery of Prince Edward Island, having been referred to the Committee on the Roll of Assembly for recommendation, the Committee taking note of the fact that no regular commission has been received, yet recommends that the name of Mr. Cameron MacLauchlan be placed on the Roll of Assembly, in place of Mr. T. L. Ramsay.

Act Constituting Assembly

In connection with this particular case, the Assembly calls the attention of Presbyteries to the provisions of the Act constituting the Assembly and cautions them to be more careful and exact in conforming to them.

Report of the Committee on Church Worship

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Church Worship, which was given in by Mr. C. L. Cowan, the Convener, who drew attention to its salient features as printed, and in the hands of Commissioners.

Upon motion, duly seconded, it was agreed that the Report be received and adopted.

Report of Committee on the Revision of the Book of Common Order

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on the Revision of the Book of Common Order, which was given, as printed, by the Convener, Mr. C. L. Cowan. He then submitted the following recommendations:—

1. That the Committee on the Book of Common Order again consult with the Board of Administration in *re* the number of copies of the revised book to be published.

2. That the services of an expert proof-reader be secured.

Upon motion of Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor, seconded by Dr. A. T. Barr, it was agreed to receive the report and to consider the recommendations seriatim. After consideration, the report with its recommendations was adopted as a whole.

Sustentation Fund

The Assembly called for the report of the Special Committee appointed to investigate with a view to the adoption of a Sustentation System. This was submitted by the Convener, Dr. J. G. Inkster, as printed.

Upon his motion, duly seconded, the report was received, and its recommendations considered seriatim.

The recommendations were then considered, and adopted. The report as a whole was adopted.

Minutes

The Minutes of the fifth, sixth and seventh Sederunts were presented in printed form and were sustained.

Leave to Withdraw

For the Special Committee on Leave, the Convener, Mr. J. MacBeath Miller reported recommending, and the Assembly agreed, that permission to withdraw from further attendance be granted to the following Commissioners:— Mr. J. A. Weatherbee and Mr. R. D. Glenn.

Adjournment

The General Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place on Monday, the sixth day of June, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

NINTH SEDERUNT

At Toronto, and within Calvin Church there, the sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Dr. Alex. Esler leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Report of Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business which was given in and read by Mr. J. C. Grier, Convener, on whose motion, duly seconded, it was received and adopted, and the business of the Assembly was ordered accordingly.

Leave to Withdraw

The Assembly granted permission to withdraw from further attendance to Mr. F. G. MacDonald.

Report of the Board of the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home, which, being printed, was given in and spoken to by Mr. A. R. Skinner, the Convener.

Upon motion of Mr. McCree, seconded by Dr. T. W. Taylor, it was agreed that the report be received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

The Order of the Day having arrived further consideration of the report was deferred.

Time and Place of Next Meeting of Assembly

The order of the day having arrived—the choosing of the place and time of the next General Assembly was considered.

It was moved by Dr. J. S. Shortt, seconded by Mr. E. Orsborn, that the next meeting of the General Assembly be held in Knox Church, Midland, on the first Wednesday in June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at eight o'clock in the evening.

Upon the vote being taken the motion was carried unanimously.

Missionary and Deaconess Training Board

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report, with its recommendations. The first recommendation was adopted. It was moved in amendment to the second recommendation, as printed, by Mr. E. W. McNeill, seconded by Mr. Dunn that the words "arising unexpectedly" be deleted and the recommendation read "to transact urgent matters of business."

It was moved in amendment to the amendment by Mr. Wm. Barclay, duly seconded, "that Recommendation No. 2 be deleted as Board already have the power to appoint an Executive."

Upon the vote being taken as between the amendment and the amendment to the amendment, the latter prevailed.

Upon the vote being taken as between the amendment and the recommendation of the Board, the amendment prevailed and became the judgment of the Court.

Mr. McCree moved that consideration of the third recommendation be deferred until the report of the Board of Administration on this question is considered. This was seconded by Dr. Nelson and approved.

Mr. Skinner submitted the following additional recommendations, which, on motion, duly seconded, were adopted:—

1. "That this General Assembly extend its heartfelt sympathy to the Principal of the Deaconess Home in her illness, and enforced absence from duty, and prays that in the providence of God she may speedily be restored to health.

2. "That in the event of the Principal's illness being more protracted than could be anticipated, the Deaconess Board be given authority to find a substitute for Principal; and that in the event of such an arrangement becoming necessary, the Board of Administration be consulted *re* any financial obligations incurred."

Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor submitted the following resolution, seconded by Dr. Esler, which was adopted:— "That it be a direction of the General Assembly to the Board of the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home that all candidates for the order of Deaconess be required to give full attendance in residence and upon lectures before they can attain their standing."

Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

General Board of Missions

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report of the General Board of Missions. Dr. A. M. Hill moved, seconded by Mr. Jas. Hyde the adoption of printed recommendation No. 1 *re* appointment of Dr. W. A. Cameron as Secretary for Home Missions.

Dr. S. B. Nelson moved in amendment, seconded by Dr. M. A. Campbell, that the appointment of a Home Mission Secretary be deferred for another year.

Dr. Hill was granted permission to divide the first recommendation, and to submit the first part for consideration, as follows:— "That a Secretary for Home Missions be appointed."

Dr. N. A. MacLeod moved in amendment to the amendment, seconded by Mr. J. R. Graham,

1. That action *re* the appointment of Secretaries to the Mission Board be deferred for one year.

2. That a Committee be appointed consisting of the Moderator of Assembly and all former Moderators, Dr. J. G. Inkster and three Elders:— Judge A. G. Farrell, Mr. G. L. Sutherland, and Mr. P. E. Campbell, and that the Committee be instructed to bring its recommendation to the next Assembly.

Upon the vote being taken as between the amendment and the amendment to the amendment, the former prevailed.

Mr. J. W. Marshall then moved in amendment to the amendment, duly seconded, "That the appointment of a Secretary for Home Missions be deferred for another year and that new nominations be made by Presbyteries to the Clerk of Assembly for appointment at the 1939 Assembly."

Dr. Nelson was granted permission to withdraw his amendment in favour of Mr. Marshall's motion.

Upon the vote being taken as between the amendment and the main motion, the amendment prevailed, and the recommendation of the Board was thus amended and became the judgment of the Court.

Printed recommendation No. 2 was then withdrawn.

Dr. Hill reported upon printed Overture No. 18 and recommended as follows:— "Recommendation *re* 'Formation of a Presbyterian Church in India'. Your Board recommends that the information furnished by Dr. Buchanan be sent to all the members of the Board. That the incoming Board take such steps as they deem wise toward ascertaining the mind of the various home Boards of the Churches, to be included in the proposed Union; also that they ascertain the names of the various Churches not included in the Union and why they are not included. That the Board at its meeting in March, 1939, consider the Overture in the light of all the information so received and report to the next Assembly."

Upon the vote being taken the recommendation was approved.

The report, as amended, on motion of Dr. Hill, duly seconded, was adopted as a whole.

Death of Mr. Justice Hugh Ross

The attention of the Assembly was called to the death of Mr. Justice Hugh Ross of Sydney, a most valued Elder of this Church, and upon motion, duly seconded, it was unanimously agreed that a message of sympathy be sent to Mrs. Ross.

Minutes

The Minutes of the Eighth Sederunt were presented in printed form and were sustained.

Assembly and Synod Records

The Clerk reported that the Committees appointed to examine the records of the Assembly and the various Synods had returned the said records advising that they be attested *cum nota*, and it was so ordered.

Leave to Withdraw

The Assembly agreed, upon the recommendation of the Committee on Leave, to grant permission to withdraw from further attendance to Mr. Robert J. Gardner, Mr. J. T. Mullen, Mr. Edgar Allan, Mr. J. H. Riddell and Mr. J. A. Murray.

The Assembly agreed to adjourn at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at half past two o'clock in the afternoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

TENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

The Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Dr. J. McNair leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Board of Administration

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report of the Board of Administration. Mr. C. M. Pitts at the request of the Assembly called attention to recommendation No. 8 as printed with reference to the operation of the three year rule *re* the appointment of Boards and Committees

of the Church. He then moved, duly seconded, the adoption of this recommendation.

It was asked for and agreed to divide the recommendation and to consider the second part.

Mr. Pitts moved, seconded by Mr. McCree, the adoption of this part of the recommendation as follows: "That the Boards and Committees of the Church continue under the three year rule with the provision that one-third of the retiring members may be eligible for re-election." This was adopted.

Mr. Pitts then moved the adoption of the first part of the recommendation as follows: "That the Board and Senate of Knox College be excluded from the operation of the three year rule." This was seconded by Mr. McCree.

After discussion and by permission of the Assembly, this part of the recommendation was withdrawn. The recommendation, as amended, was then adopted. Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

Committee to Stike Standing Committees

The Committee to Strike Standing Committees was then directed to re-consider its draft report in the light of this discussion, and was granted permission to sit during this and the next Sederunts.

Report on Evangelism and Church Life and Work

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Evangelism and Church Life and Work. This was given in as printed, by Mr. J. B. Thomson, the Convener.

Dr. J. S. Shortt moved, seconded by Mr. A. A. Young and it was agreed that the report be received and the recommendations be considered seriatim.

The recommendations were then considered seriatim and dealt with as follows:—

The first recommendation was amended to read "That the Committee be instructed to continue to explore the possibility of preparing a Hymn Book for Young People," and, as amended, was adopted.

Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

Notice of Motion

Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor gave notice that at the evening Sederunt he would move that in future Sederunts all addresses be limited—of those who present reports to ten minutes, and of all others to five minutes.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at eight o'clock in the evening, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

ELEVENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted, Mr. H. M. Coulter leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Report of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies, which, together with a summary of the Statistical Reports of Presbyteries, was presented by Mr. H. M. Coulter, the Convener.

On motion of Mr. J. R. Graham, seconded by Mr. George Munro, it was agreed to receive the report and to consider the recommendations seriatim.

Dr. W. M. Kannawin introduced Miss Violet Tennant, Girls' Work Secretary, who was welcomed by the Moderator. She addressed the Assembly, and called attention to that section of the Report dealing with the work under her department.

Mr. Coulter introduced Mr. Richard Stewart, President of the Ontario Provincial Young People's Societies, who was welcomed by the Moderator, and spoke regarding the present day problems confronting Young People, and the many opportunities for service in the work of the Church.

Dr. Kannawin then introduced Dr. H. M. Paulin, who addressed the Assembly, and brought an inspiring message to the young people of the Church.

The Moderator thanked the speakers for their interesting addresses.

The recommendations were then considered seriatim.

Recommendations Nos. 1 and 2 were adopted.

In connection with Recommendation No. 3 Dr. N. A. MacEachern was heard by the Assembly in connection with the work of Presbyterian Publications, and reviewed the decisions of the Assembly with reference to it, and the contributions made in the interests of the Church. He concluded by presenting the Moderator with a copy of the Book of Forms.

The third recommendation was then adopted.

Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor then moved, seconded by Mr. McNeill, the motion of which notice was given at the previous Sederunt. The motion was carried.

Notice of Motion

Mr. Walter Patterson gave notice that at the next Sederunt he would move, that at the opening meeting of the General Assembly the time of the speakers nominating men. for the Moderator's chair be limited to ten minutes.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at ten o'clock tomorrow morning, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

TWELFTH SEDERUNT

At Toronto, and within Calvin Church there, the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met, pursuant to adjournment and was constituted, Mr. David Johnstone leading in prayer at request of the Moderator.

Report of Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business which was given in and read by Mr. J. C. Grier, the Convener, on whose motion, duly seconded, it was received and adopted, and the business of the Assembly was ordered accordingly.

To Place Names on the Constituent Roll

Dr. W. Patterson reported for the Special Committee appointed to consider and report on applications for leave to place names on the constituent Rolls of Presbyteries. It was recommended that the applications be granted as follows:—

Presbytery of Saugeen, Mr. Robert Honeyman; Presbytery of Saint John, Dr. Frank Baird; Presbytery of Brockville, Dr. Donald MacOdrum; Presbytery of Hamilton, Mr. D. H. Currie; Presbytery of Lindsay, Mr. Robert Simpson; Presbytery of Peterborough, Mr. Donald A. McKenzie; Presbytery of Westminster, Dr. Duncan Campbell; Presbytery of Westminster, Dr. Alex. Esler; Presbytery of Toronto, Dr. Jas. Wilson, upon retirement; and that the application of the Presbytery of Orangeville for Mr. A. H. Barker be not granted.

Dr. Patterson moved, duly seconded, the reception of the report, and consideration of its recommendations. This was agreed to. The recommendations were then considered and adopted. The report was then adopted as a whole.

Re Overtures Nos. 5, 7, 13

Mr. C. K. Nicoll for the Committee appointed to consider these Overtures, reported, and recommended as follows:— "Your Committee recommends that these three Overtures be referred to the Budget Committee."

On his motion, duly seconded, the report was received and adopted.

Re Petition of Dr. John Taylor

Dr. J. S. Shortt reported for the Committee appointed to consider the Petition of Dr. John Taylor, and recommended as follows:— "That Dr. John Taylor be given a Certificate by the Presbytery of Brockville (as per Book of Forms, page 116, section 36) stating that he was ordained as a Minister by the Presbytery of Brockville on July 18th, 1928, and that he is at this date in good and regular standing as a Minister of the Church.

And that, (as per section 251, page 65, Book of Forms) the Assembly commend Dr. Taylor to the Presbyteries of the Church as a Minister in good and regular standing."

On his motion, duly seconded, the report was received and adopted.

THE MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH

The Assembly called for the report of the Special Committee appointed to consider the question of Mutual Eligibility. This was submitted by Mr. J. B. Skene, the Convener.

Dr. M. A. Campbell moved, duly seconded, the reception and adoption of the report. This was agreed to.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of Education which was given in and read by Dr. D. J. Fraser, the Convener. It was agreed, upon motion, duly seconded, that the report be received and its recommendations considered seriatim. The report is as follows:—

1. SPECIAL COURSES, AND RECOMMENDATIONS CONNECTED THEREWITH

Eynon B. Nichol, Presbytery of London. That he be allowed to continue the six years' course, intra murally, under the direction of the Senate of Knox College.

William Sutherland, Presbytery of Hamilton. That having satisfactorily completed the course prescribed under direction of the Senate of Knox College, he be permitted to be taken on trials for license.

Rev. Erik Larsen, Presbytery of Chatham. That he be required to take one year Theology (intra murally) prescribed by the Senate of Knox College, and a report made to next Assembly.

Gordon J. Troyer, Presbytery of North Bay and Temiskaming. That he be allowed to continue his studies under supervision of the Senate of Knox College.

Wallace J. Murray, Presbytery of London. No report.

2. APPLICATIONS FOR SPECIAL COURSES, AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Adam H. Nicol, Presbytery of Superior. That he be recommended for the regular six years' course, on presentation to the Senate of either Knox or Montreal College, of matriculation certificates or their equivalent in the following three subjects—English, History, and Greek or Latin, or a subject in the field of Natural Science.

J. A. Smith, Presbytery of Montreal. That he be admitted as a regular student in Theology, and a report of his work during the next college session be presented to the Board of Education next year.

David Anderson, Presbytery of Hamilton. That he be advised to continue the regular course in Arts.

3. LICENTIATES

Donald B. Mackay, Presbytery of Brockville. It is recommended that the application for permission to take Mr. Mackay on trials for license, be granted.

Frank Albert Lawrence, Presbytery of Pictou. It is recommended that the application on his behalf be not granted.

George Douglas Young, Presbytery of Pictou. It is recommended that

the application for permission to take Mr. Young on trials for license, be not granted.

Martin J. Bohn, Presbytery of Moose Jaw. It is recommended that the application to take Mr. Bohn on trials for license be deferred until next Assembly; that meantime he be required to take one year's course of study intra murally under the supervision of the Senate of either of our colleges and that his case be then given further consideration.

Hugh K. Gilmour, Presbytery of Quebec. It is recommended that the application for ordination of Mr. Gilmour be granted on condition that he pursue a two years' reading course extra murally under the direction of the Senate of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, and that he agree to remain under the Board of Missions until such course is completed.

H. A. Pritchard, Presbytery of Montreal. It is recommended that he be permitted to take studies intra murally under the direction of the Senate of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, during the coming session and that further consideration be given to this application when the Senate's report is received.

4. RECEPTION OF MINISTERS

Rev. John Hallett Low, Presbytery of Edmonton. The Board recommends a reading course, with examinations, extending over a period of one year, prescribed by the Senate of one of our colleges, before his application be considered by the General Assembly.

Rev. F. Clarke Evans. Presbytery of Pictou. It is recommended that the application be not granted.

Rev. J. Kenneth McCreary, Presbytery of Toronto. It is recommended that the application be not granted. The Board further recommends that the applicant be advised to confer with the Principal of Knox College and that a report be submitted to the next General Assembly when the application will receive further consideration.

5. RECOMMENDATIONS

Overture No. 15 (1937), Presbytery of North Bay and Temiskaming. Referred to the Board of Education to be reported upon to the Assembly of 1938.

Your Board having considered recommendation No. 1, is of the opinion that to define a numerical limit to a number of ministers of other churches admitted is impracticable, and not in the best interests of the Church, which might upon occasion suffer loss from existence of such a rule.

Your Board would draw attention to the regulations (Book of Forms Sec. 248) already existing for the admission of ministers of other Churches, which regulations represent in the main an adequate safeguarding of the interests of our Church and Ministry.

Your Board, however, having in view numerous protests from Presbyteries, and also present circumstances in respect to the employment of ministers now in our Church, is of opinion that a generous admission of ministers from other denominations is neither necessary for the church's work, nor just to the ministers at present with us and the students preparing for our ministry by regular courses in our own colleges.

In the opinion of your Board a problem of deeper moment is the case of the student who has received his education in colleges other than those of our own church. Certain institutions being of an educational character or of a spirit unsatisfactory to the Presbyterian Church in Canada, much difficulty is experienced at all times in rating the qualifications, and determining the value to our work of those coming from outside our church.

It is, therefore, the judgment of your Board that the interests of the church can be safeguarded in this matter only by requiring that all such applicants shall receive further training in one of our colleges, the extent and duration of which training shall be determined in each case by the General Assembly. Your Board recommends that this be expressed in the form of the following Act of Assembly:—

"WHEREAS, The Presbyterian Church in Canada provides adequate facilities for the education of a ministry;

The General Assembly hereby enacts and ordains that all persons applying for the status of Licentiate of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, who have received all or part of their theological education in institutions other than the colleges of the said Church, shall be required to receive further training in one of the colleges of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and that the extent and duration of the said training shall in each case be determined by the General Assembly."

It was moved in amendment by Mr. W. T. McCree, seconded by Dr. A. T. Barr, that this recommendation be received and sent down to Presbyteries for information, and to report to next Assembly. Upon the vote being taken the amendment prevailed and the motion as amended became the judgment of the Court.

It is further recommended, that the attention of Presbyteries be again, and urgently drawn to the rule of the Church that no persons, ministers or students, be allowed to preach with a view to being called to a vacant charge until they have been received by the General Assembly. (Book of Forms, Sec. 215) (Assembly Minutes, 1934, p. 56).

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Your Board recommends that the degrees only of those who responded to the questionnaire of the Clerks of Assembly be published in any official records of the Church; and that ministers be requested to notify the Clerks of any changes in degrees.

6. REPORT ON OVERTURES REFERRED TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION BY THIS ASSEMBLY

Overture No. 1, Synod of Saskatchewan, *re* Colleges.

Overture No. 16, Presbytery of Hamilton, *re* Theological Colleges.

It is the judgment of this Board that the Senates of the Colleges and the Board of Education, all of which are appointed by the General Assembly, are as competent to deal with the problems of the theological curriculum as any special committee which the Assembly might appoint. With reference to the prayer of Overture No. 16 that the said committee

should "inquire into the possibilities of amalgamating our Colleges, at least in arranging such co-operation as shall render them more effective", your Board would point out that this matter has already been given careful and thorough consideration by a Committee appointed by the General Assembly in 1929 (Minutes, 1929, pp. 31, 32. Appendices, 1930, p. 109) and is of the opinion that no purpose would be served by the appointment of another committee to consider the same matter again. It is therefore recommended that the prayer of these Overtures be not granted.

Overture No. 3, Presbytery of Ottawa, *re* Students for the Ministry.

Your Board heartily approves of the prayer of the Overture and commends the whole matter of recruiting for the ministry to the sympathetic consideration of the Assembly.

Overture No. 10, Presbytery of Regina, *re* Mr. A. A. Downey.

This case having been disposed of by the General Assembly last year, your Board sees no valid reason for re-opening it and, therefore, recommends that the prayer of the Overture be not granted.

Further consideration of the report was deferred until the report of the Committee *re* Ordination is received.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Dr. Inkster gave notice that at the next Sederunt he would move reconsideration of the application of Mr. F. A. Lawrence, Mr. G. D. Young and Mr. F. Clarke Evans.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at half past two o'clock in the afternoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

THIRTEENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted, Mr. James Hyde leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION

The Assembly called for the report of the Special Committee appointed to consider, and prepare a deliverance on the law and practice of the Church in certain cases of ordination to the Ministry. This together with a draft of a Declaratory Act was submitted by Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor, the Convener, who moved, duly seconded, that the Assembly receive the report and adopt the Declaratory Act. This was agreed to.

It was moved by Dr. Taylor, seconded by Dr. N. A. MacLeod, that the provisions of the Declaratory Act just adopted relating to the Ordination of Students in course be suspended for a term of five years, and upon a vote being taken the operation of the said provisions was so suspended.

Board of Education

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report of the Board of Education *re* application on behalf of Mr. A. A. Downey. Dr. Fraser moved, duly seconded, that the recommendation of the Board be adopted.

Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. James Hyde, that the application be referred back to the Presbytery of Regina, to take whatever steps it may deem advisable to bring the matter before the next Assembly.

On the vote being taken as between the motion and the amendment the latter prevailed, and the motion as amended became the judgment of the Court. The report as a whole, as amended, was then adopted, on motion of Dr. Fraser, duly seconded.

Budget and Stewardship Committee

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report of the Budget and Stewardship Committee, when the fifth recommendation as amended at a previous Sederunt, and the amendment submitted by Mr. J. C. Grier and duly seconded, were considered.

Dr. Barr moved, duly seconded, that the vote be taken. This was agreed to.

Upon the vote being taken as between the motion and the amendment, the former prevailed.

Upon a further vote being taken the motion was lost.

Dr. Barr moved, duly seconded, "That this General Assembly approve of the principle of some plan being prepared this year for the removal of the deficit, and that the Budget and Stewardship Committee be instructed to consider such plan and take whatever action is necessary."

Mr. Peter Dunn moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. W. T. McCree:— "That men representing various opinions expressed in this debate be co-opted to the Budget and Stewardship Committee for the purpose of formulating this plan."

Dr. Barr, with the consent of his seconder, and with the permission of the Assembly, agreed to accept the amendment of Mr. Dunn as a substantive part of his motion.

Dr. S. C. Parker moved in amendment, seconded by Dr. James Smart, "That, in view of the urgency and the fundamental importance of the Annual Revenue of the Church, as a means both of carrying on the work of the Church and of dealing with accumulated debts, the Committee on the Budget and Stewardship be instructed to explore all possible means of increasing said annual revenue, to inform Presbyteries of the means they consider best, and encourage as they shall deem best Presbyteries and Sessions to augment the annual income of the Church."

Upon the vote being taken as between the motion and the amendment, the latter prevailed, and the motion, as amended, became the judgment of the Court.

Mr. Barclay then reported upon printed Overtures Nos. 5, 7 and 13, which were remitted to the Budget and Stewardship Committee and recommended as follows:—

1. With reference to Overture No. 5, Presbytery of Paris, *re* Financial position of the Church, that the prayer of the Overture be not granted. This was agreed to.

2. *Re* Overture No. 7, Presbytery of Westminster *re* Budget Monies that the prayer of the Overture be not granted. This was agreed to.

3. *Re* Overture No. 13, Synod of Hamilton and London, *re* The Budget, that the prayer of the Overture be granted. This was agreed to.

Mr. Barclay moved, duly seconded, that the report as a whole, as amended, be adopted. This was agreed to.

Upon motion of Mr. Walter Patterson, seconded by Mr. J. C. Grier, the hearty thanks of the Assembly were tendered to Mr. Barclay in recognition of his valuable and devoted services.

Overture No. 19, Presbytery of Edmonton

Dr. Hugh Munroe reported for the Committee to whom this Overture, *re* Three Year Term for Appointments of Members of Sessions, was remitted and recommended that no action be taken. This was agreed to.

Resignation Miss W. Ferguson

Mr. W. T. McCree submitted a telegram from Miss Ferguson, forwarding her resignation as Principal of the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home.

Mr. McCree moved, duly seconded, and it was agreed that the telegram be received and consideration deferred until it can be reported on by Mr. Skinner, Convener of that Board.

Petition Queen's Road Congregational Church

Dr. A. T. Barr for the Committee reported and recommended as follows:— "That this General Assembly authorize the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland to receive these Petitioners as a congregation of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

That this General Assembly recommends to the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland that in the reception of this congregation the situation be adequately guarded against it at any time becoming a financial burden to the Church.

The report with its recommendation was adopted.

Leave to Withdraw

Permission to withdraw was granted to:— Mr. James D. Sergeant, Mr. P. J. O'Neill, Mr. Donald McLeay, Mr. J. S. Gibson, Mr. Alex. MacKenzie, Dr. J. H. Woodside, Dr. A. S. Reid, Mr. D. A. Gray, Mr. H. G. Lowry, Mr. S. B. Gordon.

Minutes

The Minutes of the ninth, tenth and eleventh Sederunts were presented in printed form and were sustained.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at eight o'clock this evening, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

FOURTEENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted, Mr. F. G. Purnell leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

The Presbyterian College, Montreal

The Assembly called for the reports of the Board and Senate of The Presbyterian College, Montreal.

The report of the Senate was given in, in printed form, by the Principal, Dr. F. Scott Mackenzie.

The report of the Board, as printed, was given in by Dr. A. M. Hill, in the absence of the Chairman, together with the financial statement of the College, duly audited.

On motion of Mr. James Wilson, duly seconded, it was agreed that the report of the Senate be received and adopted.

On motion of Dr. A. M. Hill, seconded by Dr. N. A. MacLeod, it was agreed that the report of the Board of Management be received and adopted.

Knox College

The Assembly called for the reports of the Board and Senate of Knox College.

The report of the Board was given in, as printed, by Mr. W. T. McCree in the absence of Mr. J. A. McLeod, the Chairman, and was accompanied by a financial statement, duly audited.

The report of the Senate was given in by Dr. T. Eakin, the Principal, who directed the attention of the Assembly to the principal matters therein.

Mr. McCree moved, seconded by Mr. E. W. McNeill, that the report of the Board of Management be received and adopted.

Dr. J. D. Smart moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. E. A. Thomson, "That this Assembly, desiring that the Chair of Systematic Theology in Knox College should be competently occupied at the earliest possible date, and that the vacancy be not unduly prolonged, instruct the Board of Knox College to revert to the usual policy of the College and Church in this regard, entrusting the responsibility of finding a suitable candidate to a Committee of the Board, and excluding from candidature no properly qualified theological scholar."

Mr. R. J. Burton moved in amendment to the amendment that all the words "one explanation of the fact" down to "a reasonable pension on retirement" be deleted from the report.

Mr. Walter Patterson seconded the amendment of Mr. Burton.

The point of order being raised, the Moderator ruled that the amendment of Dr. Smart was a substantive motion, and it was agreed that it should be considered immediately after the report is disposed of.

With the permission of the Assembly, Mr. Burton withdrew his amendment.

Upon the vote being taken, the motion to receive and adopt the report was carried.

The vote was then taken upon the motion of Dr. Jas. Smart, and it was declared to be lost.

Upon motion of Dr. T. Eakin, seconded by Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor, the report of the Senate was received and adopted.

Committee to Strike Standing Committees

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee to Strike Standing Committees, which was presented by Mr. C. H. MacDonald, the Convener. Upon motion, duly seconded, it was agreed that the report be received and considered.

It was agreed that further consideration of this report be the first item on the docket at the morning Sederunt tomorrow.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place tomorrow morning at ten o'clock, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

FIFTEENTH SEDERUNT

At Toronto, and within Calvin Church there, the eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted, Dr. John Buchanan leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Report of the Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business which was given in and read by Mr. J. C. Grier, Convener, on whose motion, duly seconded, it was received and adopted, and the business of the Assembly was ordered accordingly.

Loyal Addresses

For the Committee on Resolutions Dr. Hugh Munroe submitted the following resolutions, which, on his motion, duly seconded, were adopted.

Address to His Majesty King George VI

"The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada wish once again to express the loyalty and deep attachment of the Church to Your Person and Throne.

In those days of difficulty and anxiety the Church will pray that you may be providentially guided and sustained.

Our prayers are that the Great King and Head of the Church will richly bless Your Majesty, Her Majesty the Queen, and all the members

of the Royal House with health and happiness, and that Your reign so auspiciously begun may be long and glorious.''

Address to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada

''The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada has this day approved a loyal address to His Majesty, the King; and the Assembly requests you, as the King's Representative, to forward this address to His Majesty.

Permit us, your Excellency, again to express to you our deep appreciation of your continued endeavour to advance the cultural and religious interests of the people of this Dominion. We trust that this interest shown by you and Lady Tweedsmuir will prove an inspiration to all our people.''

COMMITTEE TO STRIKE STANDING COMMITTEES

Mr. C. H. MacDonald, the Convener, was granted permission to make a further report.

The report as a whole, as amended, was adopted.

The Treasurer of the Church is *ex-officio* a member of all Spending Boards.

GROUP ''A''

BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION

One Year.—Mr. W. M. Connacher, Calgary; Rev. J. M. Macgillivray, Sarnia; Mr. H. M. Comstock, Brockville; Dr. J. G. Inkster, Toronto; Dr. W. A. Cameron, Vancouver; Mr. Norman M. Paterson, Fort William; Mr. C. M. Pitts, Ottawa (*Chairman*); Rev. Wm. Barclay, Hamilton; Mr. W. D. Beamer, London; Rev. W. G. Brown, Saskatoon. *Two Years.*—Rev. C. S. Oke, Stratford; Dr. M. A. Campbell, Montreal; Rev. A. C. Stewart, Midland; Col. Robert Starke, Montreal; Mr. P. E. Campbell, Cornwall; Mr. Jas. Gill, Hamilton; Mr. T. L. Hamilton, Listowel; Mr. F. W. Acheson, Sault Ste. Marie. *Three Years.*—Rev. Joseph Wasson, Toronto; Rev. C. K. Nicoll, Oakville; Rev. N. D. Kennedy, New Glasgow; Dr. Stuart C. Parker, Toronto; Mr. Richard Lloyd, Wingham; Judge A. G. Farrell, Toronto; Mr. John M. Thomson, Owen Sound; Mr. E. W. McNeill (*ex-officio*).

BOARD OF MISSIONS

One Year.—Dr. Robert Johnston, Ottawa; Rev. M. S. Blackburn, Vegreville; Rev. A. R. Gibson, Cardinal; Prof. W. W. Bryden, Toronto; Mr. George Beare, Toronto; Mr. Alex. Bissett, Montreal. *Two Years.*—Prof. Frank Beare, Montreal; Rev. J. A. MacInnis, Orillia; Dr. M. M. MacOdrum, Sydney; Rev. W. I. McLean, Hamilton; Mr. T. A. Bryan, London; Mr. G. L. Sutherland, Toronto. Two representatives of the W.M.S. (E.D.); seven representatives of the W.M.S. (W.D.); Synod Conveners. *Three Years.*—Dr. A. M. Hill, *Convener;* Dr. M. B. Davidson, Galt; Mr. W. Gill, Kingston; Dr. Frank Baird, Chipman; Mr. Alex. Davidson, Milverton; Dr. James Wilson, Toronto; Rev. James Evans, Indian Head; Synod Conveners; Mr. E. W. McNeill (*Treasurer*).

COUNCIL EXECUTIVE, WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Mrs. D. D. Calvin, Toronto; Mrs. J. W. Dougherty, Montreal; Mrs. Arthur Evans, Winnipeg; Mrs. D. Inglis Grant, Toronto; Mrs. J. D. Holman, Toronto; Mrs. John Kelman, Toronto; Mrs. Jas. Logie, Toronto; Mrs. Norman MacEachern, Toronto; Mrs. J. A. McClure, Toronto; Mrs. W. A. McLennan, Toronto; Mrs. Albert Maas, Toronto; Mrs. J. A. Milne, Toronto; Miss Jessie Parsons, Toronto; Mrs. A. R. Riddell, Toronto; Mrs. H. Sykes, Edmonton; Mrs. R. M. Thomson, Vancouver; Mrs. John Williams, Toronto; Mrs. W. W. Carter, Toronto; Mrs. W. H. Fletcher, Toronto; Mrs. D. Gordon, Toronto; Mrs. J. A. Hilts, Toronto; Miss Margaret Keith, Toronto; Miss J. Florence Lang, Toronto; Miss Lundia MacBeth, Toronto; Miss Bessie MacMurchy, Toronto; Mrs. N. H. McGillivray, Toronto; Mrs. A. R. McMurrich, Toronto; Mrs. W. A. J. Martin, Toronto; Mrs. W. H. Mitchell, Toronto; Mrs. G. D. Ralston, Regina; Mrs. D. Strachan, Toronto; Mrs. A. W. Talbot, Toronto; Mrs. J. M. Warren, Toronto; Mrs. J. C. Wood, Toronto. *W.M.S. Representatives on the Assembly's Board of Missions (W.D.).*—Mrs. W. A. McLennan, Mrs. D. Strachan, Mrs. A. R. McMurrich, Mrs. W. H. Mitchell, Miss Bessie MacMurchy, Mrs. W. A. J. Martin, Mrs. J. W. Dougherty, Montreal. *W.M.S. (E.D.).*—Mrs. Geo. E. Ross, Mrs. L. E. Teasdale.

BOARD OF SABBATH SCHOOLS AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES

One Year.—Rev. H. Lennox, Vancouver; Rev. H. M. Coulter, Brampton; Rev. W. J. McIvor, Montreal; Rev. G. D. Johnston, Brantford; Mr. Ernest Moodie, Toronto; Mr. Stuart Muirhead, Regina. *Two Years.*—Rev. J. R. Graham, Sherbrooke, Que.; Rev. R. H. M. Kerr, Chesley; Rev. C. G. Boyd, Sault Ste. Marie; Mr. Wm. Paterson, Bowmanville; Mr. A. L. Currie, Vancouver; Rev. J. W. Paul, Woodstock, N.B. *Three Years.*—Rev. W. A. Young, Hensall, Ont.; Rev. D. P. Rowland, Toronto; Rev. B. L. Walden, Port Colborne, Ont.; Rev. E. A. Thomson, Elora, Ont. (*Convener*); Mr. John R. McCallum, Montreal; Mr. A. D. MacMurtrie, Sarnia, Ont.; Synod Conveners; Mr. E. W. McNeill, Toronto (*Treasurer*).

GROUP ''B''

SENATE OF KNOX COLLEGE

One Year.—Rev. G. S. Lloyd, Cornwall; Dr. H. M. Paulin, Windsor; Rev. C. H. MacDonald, Lucknow. *Two Years.*—Dr. J. D. Smart, Galt; Rev. W. T. McCree, Toronto; Prof. N. Macdonald, Hamilton; Rev. S. M. Scott, Picton. *Three Years.*—Professor J. R. MacGillivray, Toronto; Dr. H. B. Ketchen, Hamilton, Ont.; Rev. J. R. Waldie, Arthur, Ont.

BOARD OF KNOX COLLEGE

One Year.—Rev. G. S. Lloyd, Cornwall; Dr. H. M. Paulin, Windsor; Rev. C. H. MacDonald, Lucknow; Mr. T. P. Geggie, Toronto; Rev. Peter A. Dunn, Hamilton; Mr. J. Colin Blain, St. Catharines; Mr. W. S. Morlock, Toronto; Rev. J. N. McFaul, Stratford. *Two Years.*—Mr. H. F. Burkholder, Hamilton; Dr. D. D. MacDonald, Toronto; Rev. D. K. Perrie, Hastings; Mr. E. H. Gunther, Brantford; Mr. Chas. M. Cameron, Belleville; Dr. J. D. Smart, Galt; Rev. W. T. McCree, Toronto; Prof. N. MacDonald,

Hamilton; Rev. S. M. Scott, Picton; Mr. E. W. McNeill (*Treasurer*). *Three Years.*—Prof. J. R. MacGillivray, Toronto; Dr. H. B. Ketchen, Hamilton; Rev. J. R. Waldie, Arthur; Prof. J. D. Cunningham, Toronto; Rev. David Gowdy, Paris; Mr. J. A. McLeod, Toronto (*Chairman*); Mr. R. T. Mohan, Cobourg; Mr. H. M. Macdonnell, Toronto.

Senate of the Presbyterian College, Montreal

One Year.—Dr. Wm. Patterson, Westboro; Prof. C. MacMillan, Montreal; Rev. Hugh Jack, Red Deer; Rev. Wm. MacMillan, Collingwood; Rev. Wm. McLean, Outremont; Rev. G. L. Fulford, St. Stephen; Rev. W. L. MacLellan, Scotstown; Rev. A. D. MacKinnon, Little Narrows; Judge Patterson, New Glasgow; Mr. A. A. McDonald, Charlottetown; Mr. A. E. McLean, Summerside. *Two Years.*—Prof. John Hughes, Montreal; Mr. G. McL. Pitts, Montreal; Mr. Jas. Wilson, Montreal; Dr. J. A. Nattress, Sault Ste. Marie; Mr. T. S. McDonald, Smith's Falls; Dr. G. H. Donald, Montreal; Rev. C. Ritchie Bell, Montreal; Dr. Samuel Davies, St. Andrews; Dr. J. W. Stephen, Kingston; Rev. K. MacLean, Wingham. *Three Years.*—Rev. Henry Cousens, Lachute; Rev. J. R. Graham, Sherbrooke; Rev. H. R. Pickup, Montreal; Rev. H. S. Lee, St. Lambert; Dr. F. W. Gilmour, London; Mr. H. E. Hughston, Ottawa; Prof. H. S. Thomas, Wolfville, N.S.

Board of Presbyterian College, Montreal

One Year.—Dr. A. M. Hill, Verdun; Dr. Frank Morley, Montreal; Rev. P. W. Murray, Barney's River; Dr. R. G. Stewart, Toronto; Mr. David McGill, Montreal; Mr. W. F. Macklaier, Montreal; Mr. David J. Rayside, Montreal; Dr. Campbell Laidlaw, Ottawa; Mr. J. S. Mitchell, Montreal; Mr. F. G. Donaldson, Montreal. *Two Years.*—Mr. W. J. Hyde, Montreal; Mr. S. G. Dixon, Montreal; Mr. D. C. Logan, Montreal; Mr. Geo. A. Campbell, K.C., Montreal; Mr. Purvis MacDougall, Montreal; Mr. S. H. McCuaig, Edmonton; Mr. Ernest McKay, Fredericton; Dr. J. B. Maclean, Huntingdon; Rev. D. Scott, Montreal; Rev. J. M. Laird, St. Thomas; Rev. R. J. Wilson, Hamilton; Principal of College; Mr. E. W. McNeill (*Treasurer*). *Three Years.*—Dr. J. W. Stephen, Kingston; Mr. Andrew Cross, Montreal; Judge G. Barclay, Montreal; Mr. H. M. Comstock, Brockville; Mr. Edward Darling, Montreal; Dr. I. M. Montgomery, Montreal; Col. D. Carmichael, Ottawa; Mr. Fraser S. Keith (*Chairman*); Col. Andrew Fleming, Montreal.

Pension Board

One Year.—Mr. P. E. Campbell, Cornwall; Dr. D. T. L. McKerroll, Niagara-on-the-Lake; Rev. Peter Reith, Tara; Mrs. J. A. Hilts, Toronto; Mr. P. Pollock, Kitchener; Rev. E. L. Garvin, Winnipeg. *Two Years*—Dr. A. L. Burch, Scarboro Jct.; Rev. John Lindsay, Whitby (*Chairman*); Rev. J. C. Robinson, Leaskdale; Mr. T. C. Allan, Wiarton; Rev. R. C. McDermid, Toronto; Mr. John Mark, Toronto; Synod Conveners. *Three Years.*—Mr. Donald Nicholson, Toronto; Dr. G. P. Duncan, Toronto; Dr. S. Banks Nelson, Hamilton; Dr. J. S. Shortt, Barrie; Mr. John Hammond, Toronto; Mrs. D. Strachan, Toronto.

Missionary and Deaconess Training Home

One Year.—Mrs. J. J. Shaw, Hespeler; Rev. E. A. Wright, Wallaceburg; Mrs. A. R. Pae, Montreal; Mrs. E. Foreman, Toronto; Rev. C. K. Nicoll, Oakville; Mrs. J. R. Hill, Ottawa; Miss Winifred Ferguson, Toronto. *Two Years.*—Rev. J. A. Hilts, Toronto; Mrs. N. H. MacGillivray, Toronto; Mrs. Wm. Storrie, Toronto; Mrs. D. Strachan, Toronto; Rev. D. P. Rowland, Toronto; Mrs. Stuart Playfair, Toronto. *Three Years.*—Mrs. T. J. Watson, Toronto; Mrs. H. E. Abraham, Toronto; Mr. Thos. G. Relyea, Toronto; Rev. Edgar Foreman, Toronto (*Convener*); Rev. J. M. Dickson, Dutton; Rev. Robertson Millar, Oro Station.

Record Committee

One Year.—Rev. Geo. Aitken, Caledon; Prof. W. Harvey-Jellie, Montreal; Mr. C. R. McIntosh, North Battleford; Rev. S. Farley, Regina. *Two Years.*—Rev. D. Crawford Smith, Toronto; Rev. M. W. Heslip, Prescott; Mr. W. C. Thomson, Pickering; Mr. J. A. MacLaren, Barrie. *Three Years.*—Rev. W. H. Fuller, Markham (*Chairman*); Dr. J. Stanley Glen, Toronto; Rev. W. Orr Mulligan, Montreal; Mr. H. McDonald, Toronto.

GROUP "C"

Board of Education

One Year.—Dr. James MacKay, London; Rev. Wm. Thomas, Toronto; Dr. A. T. Barr, Peterborough; Dr. D. N. MacMillan, Dunvegan; Dr. H. E. Abraham, Toronto; Mr. H. A. Dalrymple, Hamilton; Principal Eakin, Toronto. *Two Years.*—Principal F. Scott, Mackenzie, Montreal (*Chairman*); Rev. N. R. D. Sinclair, Allandale; Dr. Geo. E. Ross, Fredericton; Prof. Norman MacDonald, Hamilton; Judge Matheson, Grande Prairie; Mr. R. A. Paterson, Ingersoll. *Three Years.*—Prof. R. D. MacLennan, Montreal; Rev. W. G. MacLean, Winnipeg; Rev. Peter Reith, Tara, Ont.; Rev. J. A. McMahon, Port Arthur; Prof. W. W. Bryden, Toronto; Rev. J. M. Laird, St. Thomas.

Committee on Church Worship

One Year.—Rev. C. M. Cameron, Banff; Rev. Douglas D. Davidson, Georgetown; Mr. C. H. Gordon, Vancouver; Rev. H. F. Dann, Martintown; Mr. W. MacDougall, Hamilton; Mr. John McGregor, Midland. *Two Years.*—Rev. A. M. Gordon, Quebec; Rev. G. R. Taylor, Toronto; Rev. H. R. Pickup, Montreal; Rev. Graham M. Jamieson, Beaverton; Mr. J. G. Pelton, Toronto; Judge A. G. Farrell, Toronto; Synod Conveners. *Three Years.*—Rev. A. D. Sutherland, Sault Ste. Marie; Rev. C. L. Cowan, Hamilton (*Chairman*); Rev. G. Lloyd Evans, Jarvis; Dr. C. A. MacRae, Windsor; Mr. W. H. Fletcher, Toronto; Mr. Alex Smith, Embro.

GROUP "D"

Historical Committee

One Year.—Mr. Robert Stewart, Quebec; Mr. Andrew Fraser, Pictou; Prof. Cunningham, Toronto; Dr. J. H. Woodside, Orangeville; Rev. H. S. Lee, Montreal. *Two Years.*—Mr. Ernest McKay, Fredericton; Rev. W. J.

West, Stratford; Rev. S. Lundie, Sooke, B.C.; Mr. John McCool, Walkerton; Mr. George Armstrong, St. Paul's. *Three Years.*—Rev. A. L. Budge, Hamilton (*Chairman*); Dr. Frank Baird, Chipman, N.B.; Dr. F. D. Roxburgh, Edmonton; Mr. Stewart Muirhead, Regina; Rev. E. C. Currie, Creemore; Synod Conveners.

Committee on Correspondence

One Year.—Rev. W. A. Williams, Brussels; Rev. Wm. Allan, Toronto; Mr. S. J. Mallion, Stratford. *Two Years.*—Dr. S. Banks Nelson, Hamilton (*Convener*); Dr. J. W. MacNamara, Toronto; Dr. W. M. Rochester, Toronto. *Three Years.*—Rev. Wm. Barclay, Hamilton; Rev. S. Farley, Regina; Dr. James Wilson, Toronto.

Evangelism, Church Life and Work

One Year.—Dr. J. S. Shortt, Barrie; Rev. J. B. Thomson, Toronto (*Chairman*); Rev. G. Dickey, Kamloops; Mr. Samuel Wallace, Toronto. *Two Years.*—Rev. A. D. Sutherland, Sault Ste. Marie; Rev. G. M. Young, Lucknow; Hon. T. B. McQuesten, Hamilton. *Three Years.*—Rev. C. A. Ronald Rowat, Saskatoon; Rev. James Fleming, Chesley; Rev. J. Y. Fraser, Toronto; Synod Conveners.

Committee on Church Architecture

The Committee recommends the discontinuance of this committee.

Business Committee

The Clerks of Assembly; Rev. E. Foreman, Toronto; Rev. W. T. McCree, Toronto; Mr. T. P. Geggie, Toronto; Judge A. G. Farrell, Toronto.

Committee to Strike Standing Committees

Dr. A. S. Reid, Montreal (*Convener*); Dr. J. S. Shortt, Barrie (*Secretary*).

Committee to Advise with the Moderator

Dr. N. A. MacLeod for the Committee submitted the following as a Committee to advise with the Moderator:—Convener, Dr. A. S. Reid; Dr. J. W. MacNamara; Dr. Robert Johnston; Dr. J. B. Maclean; Dr. N. A. MacLeod; Mr. Jas. Wilson; Mr. P. E. Campbell and the Moderators of Synods.

The report was adopted.

Overtures *Re* Dr. D. MacOdrum

Dr. MacLeod reported on certain Overtures from the Presbytery of Brockville, and recommended as follows:—

"That permission be given to Dr. Donald MacOdrum to retire from the active work of the Ministry.

And that permission be given to the Presbytery of Brockville to place upon their Constituent Roll the name of Dr. MacOdrum upon his retirement."

Upon his motion, duly seconded, the report with its recommendations, was received and adopted.

Summer Session in Theology

Dr. F. S. Mackenzie reported for the Special Committee appointed at last Assembly and recommended as follows:—

"Your Committee, appointed to consider the feasibility of a Summer course in Theology, after a careful examination of the matter in all its phases, are of the opinion that no plan for such a course can be worked out which would be likely to be of any appreciable value in solving the problem of Winter supply for student Mission fields.

It is respectfully suggested however, that the present need of the Church in this respect may be most simply and effectively met by requiring all theological students, after graduation, as well as all students from other colleges and all licentiates who may be received by the General Assembly, to spend a period of one year on a mission field, under appointment by the Board of Missions, on the same terms and conditions as apply to student appointments generally; and that a certificate of such service should be secured before they shall be eligible to be called by a congregation.

Your Committee, therefore, would recommend to the General Assembly the adoption of such a regulation."

Dr. A. M. Hill moved, seconded by Dr. F. D. Roxburgh, that the report with its recommendation be received and adopted.

It was moved in amendment by Mr. S. M. Kerr, seconded by Mr. S. J. Sharkey, that the terms of the appointment be those of an Ordained Missionary.

Upon motion, duly seconded, it was agreed to take an immediate vote.

Dr. Mackenzie for the Committee accepted the amendment.

The order of the day having arrived, further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

Board of Administration

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report and its recommendations, as printed, which were dealt with as follows:—

Recommendations Nos. 1 to 4 and 6 and 9 were approved, recommendations Nos. 5 and 7 were deferred.

Further consideration of the report was deferred.

Board of Education

Dr. J. G. Inkster then submitted the motion of which he gave notice at a previous Sederunt:— "That the recommendations of the Board of Education, *re* Mr. F. A. Lawrence, Mr. George D. Young and Mr. F. Clarke Evans be re-considered." This was seconded by Mr. Jas. Hyde and agreed to.

Dr. Inkster moved that the application of the Presbytery of Pictou, on behalf of Mr. F. A. Lawrence, be approved. This was seconded by Dr. R. Johnston.

The order of the day having arrived, further consideration was deferred.

The Upper Canada Tract Society

The Assembly received Rev. George Murray Speedie, Superintendent Missionary Department, of the Upper Canada Tract Society, who spoke on the work carried on by the Society for the care of Sailors on the Lakes, the Canals and the Ports.

The Moderator thanked Mr. Speedie for his address.

Minutes

The Minutes of the twelfth, thirteenth and fourteenth Sederunts were presented in printed form and were sustained.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at half past two o'clock in the afternoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

SIXTEENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

The General Assembly met, pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Mr. W. M. Mackay leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Report by Dr. M. A. Campbell

Dr. Campbell was granted permission to address the Assembly, and reported upon his attendance as a delegate to the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. in connection with the Sesqui-Centennial of that Church. He conveyed to the Assembly the cordial greetings of that Assembly. The Moderator thanked Dr. Campbell for his report.

Report of Board of Education

The Assembly then resumed consideration of the motion submitted by Dr. Inkster at the morning Sederunt:— "That the application of the Presbytery of Pictou on behalf of Mr. F. A. Lawrence be approved."

Upon the vote being taken, the motion was adopted.

Dr. Barr moved, duly seconded, and it was agreed that with reference to Mr. George D. Young, the former action of the Assembly be sustained.

Re Mr. F. Clarke Evans, Dr. C. E. Dougan moved, seconded by Dr. Barr, that the action of the Assembly be sustained.

Dr. Hugh Munroe moved in amendment that permission be granted to the Presbytery of Pictou for his reception. This was seconded by Dr. R. Johnston.

Upon the vote being taken as between the motion and the amendment, the latter prevailed, and the motion, as amended, became the judgment of the Court.

Lord's Day Alliance

Rev. George Webber, General Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada addressed the Assembly upon the work of the Lord's Day Alliance, with special reference to its Fiftieth Anniversary, and the deep interest shown by The Presbyterian Church in Canada in the work of the Alliance since its inception. He appealed for continued support and co-operation by the members and congregations of the Church.

The Moderator thanked Mr. Webber for his presence and address.

The following resolution was adopted, upon motion of Dr. Shortt, seconded by Dr. Johnston:—

"That the thanks of the Assembly be extended to Rev. G. Webber, Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, for his presence and address; and that the Assembly warmly recommends to the people of our Church the claims of the Alliance."

Ontario Temperance Federation

Dr. A. J. Irwin, Secretary, addressed the Assembly upon the work of the Ontario Temperance Federation, and referred to its various activities. The Moderator thanked Dr. Irwin for his address.

Re Petitions Dr. M. M. MacOdrum and Mr. W. Rutherford

Mr. Peter Dunn, for the Committee, appointed to confer with the above Petitioners reported as follows:—

1. With reference to Mr. W. Rutherford, "That we received from Mr. Rutherford a typed statement of all the facts of his case and duly considered and discussed the matter with Mr. Rutherford.

2. Your Committee recommends that as no new material has been submitted to them, and as the whole matter has been repeatedly before Session, Presbytery, Synod and General Assembly, the case be not re-opened."

Mr. Dunn moved, seconded by Mr. Kenneth MacLean, that the report be received and adopted.

Mr. Rutherford asked permission to speak on his own behalf.

On motion of Dr. Shortt, duly seconded, it was agreed that Mr. Rutherford be granted permission to speak for ten minutes. Mr. Rutherford then addressed the Court on his own behalf.

The report with its recommendation was then adopted.

Re Dr. M. M. MacOdrum

Your Committee begs leave to report:—

1. "That we duly met with and heard Dr. M. M. MacOdrum.

2. We recommend that inasmuch as certain facts in the case appear to have been overlooked, and as the whole issue among various parties is unsolved, a small Commission be appointed to go down to the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland with powers of Assembly to deal with this issue."

Upon motion of Mr. Dunn, seconded by Mr. Kenneth MacLean, it was agreed that the report with its recommendation be received and considered.

Dr. Taylor moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. James Hyde, that a Committee be appointed to investigate the whole matter related to the appeal of Dr. M. M. MacOdrum, and to report to the next Assembly.

Upon the vote being taken the amendment prevailed, and the recommendation of the Committee as so amended became the judgment of the Court.

It was further agreed that Clerks of the Assembly be a small Committee to nominate the Committee dealing with the appeal of Dr. MacOdrum against the action of the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland.

The report, as amended, was adopted as a whole.

Missionary and Deaconess Training Board

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report and its recommendation.

Since action has been taken by the Assembly with reference to the Three Year Rule *re* standing committees, no further action was required with reference to this recommendation.

The report as a whole, as amended, was adopted.

Resignation of Miss W. Ferguson

Mr. Skinner then asked consideration of the telegram from Miss Ferguson, tendering her resignation as Principal.

Mr. Joseph Wasson moved, seconded by Mr. Peter Reith, and it was agreed that the following be a Committee to consult with Miss Winifred Ferguson in regard to the matter of her resignation, and if possible secure for the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home the continuance of her services as Principal, and report to next Assembly:— Dr. Stuart C. Parker, Dr. J. B. Paulin, Mr. Joseph Wasson, Mr. Gilbert L. Sutherland, and Mr. E. W. McNeill.

General Board of Missions

In the absence of the Convener, Dr. A. M. Hill, Dr. R. Johnston, asked permission to submit the following resolution:—

At a meeting of the General Board of Missions held on Tuesday, June 7th, 1938, it was agreed to present the following resolution to the General Assembly: "*Re* the appointment of a Secretary for the General

Board of Missions, at the 1939 Assembly; That a small Committee be appointed by the Moderator to review the reports received from the Presbyteries for the nomination of a Secretary of the General Board of Missions, and, if called for, bring in a recommendation to the next Assembly, with a view to receiving unanimity."

Dr. Johnston moved, seconded by Dr. Nelson, the adoption of this resolution. This was agreed to.

Dr. Johnston reported upon Printed Overture No. 14 from the Synod of Hamilton and London and recommended as follows with reference to the first part of the Overture:—

1. "That the prayer of the Overture be not granted."

2. With reference to the second part of the Overture, "That inasmuch as this matter has received attention by the Assembly, no further action be taken."

It was moved in amendment to the first recommendation by Mr. W. T. McCree, seconded by Dr. Munroe, that no action be taken.

Dr. Johnston accepted the amendment, which became the main motion and was adopted. The report as a whole, as amended, was adopted.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at eight o'clock this evening, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

SEVENTEENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The General Assembly met, pursuant to adjournment and was constituted, Mr. Wm. Fitzsimons leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Upon the motion of Mr. W. T. McCree, seconded by Mr. F. G. Purnell, it was unanimously agreed to revise the order of business and to resume the consideration of the report of the Committee *re* Summer Session in Theology immediately after the report of the Board of the Pension Fund.

Report of the Board of the Pension Fund

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of the Pension Fund, which, as printed, was given in and spoken to by Mr. John Lindsay, the Convener, who laid before the Assembly a statement of the present position of the fund together with a list of the claims arising during the year.

Upon motion, duly seconded, the report was received and its recommendations considered.

It was moved by Dr. Stuart C. Parker, duly seconded, and agreed, to take together the printed recommendations *re* retiring Ministers and Widows, and being so taken they were adopted. By permission of the Assembly the last printed recommendation was withdrawn.

Mr. Lindsay then submitted the following additional recommendations which were adopted as follows:—

"That Dr. Duncan Campbell, Presbytery of Westminster, aged 70 with 39 years' and 4 months' service, be granted leave to retire with a pension of $594.33, beginning June 1st, 1938.

That Dr. Alexander Esler, Presbytery of Westminster, aged 73, with 34 years' and 7 months' service be granted leave to retire with a pension of $552.20, beginning September 30th, 1938."

Thanks to Professor M. A. Mackenzie

Dr. Parker moved, duly seconded, and it was agreed unanimously, "That the General Assembly convey to Professor M. A. Mackenzie its sincerest gratitude for his valuable and generous services to the Pension Fund."

Mr. Lindsay reported that, following a conference of the Pension Board and the Board of Administration, it was agreed that the section of the report of the Pension Board on Page 115 under Contributions be deleted for further conference between the two Boards.

Upon motion, duly seconded, it was agreed that the section be so deleted.

Upon further motion, duly seconded, the report as a whole and as amended was then adopted.

Re Summer Session in Theology

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report with its recommendation, as amended.

It was agreed, on motion, duly seconded, that the report with its recommendation be adopted.

Report of the Historical Committee

The Assembly called for the report of the Historical Committee which was given in, and being printed was spoken to by the Convener, Mr. John McNab, who also reported upon the printed Overture from the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island, *re* the Gordon Homestead, and submitted the following recommendations:—

1. "That the Assembly commit to the Synod of the Maritime Provinces the care of the Gordon Homestead.

2. That the Assembly authorize the erection of a Cairn on the site of the Gordon Home.

3. That the General Assembly commends the project to the entire Church.

4. That the Assembly would authorize an immediate grant up to $50.00 for purchase of filing cabinets at Knox College depository.

5. That all Ministers be asked to observe the 400th Anniversary of "The Open Bible" on June 19th with fitting services."

Mr. E. J. White moved the reception of the report and the consideration of the recommendations. This was seconded and agreed to.

The recommendations were then considered and dealt with as follows:—

It was moved by Dr. R. Johnston, seconded by Mr. E. W. McNeill, with reference to recommendation No. 1, "That this matter be left in the hands of the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island in co-operation with the Synod of the Maritime Provinces." This was agreed to.

The second, third, fourth and fifth recommendations, as printed, were adopted.

The report as a whole, as amended, was then adopted.

Evangelism and Church Life and Work

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report of the Committee on Evangelism and Church Life and Work and the recommendations. The second recommendation was adopted. The third recommendation was then considered. With the consent of the Assembly Mr. Thomson agreed to substitute the recommendation passed by last Assembly, Minutes 1937, pages 56 and 57. The hour of adjournment having arrived, further consideration of the report was deferred to the next Sederunt.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place, at ten o'clock tomorrow morning, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

EIGHTEENTH SEDERUNT

At Toronto, and within Calvin Church there, the Ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Mr. Peter Dunn leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Report of the Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business, which was given in and read by the Convener, Mr. J. C. Grier, who moved

its reception and adoption. This was seconded and agreed to, and the business of the Assembly was ordered accordingly.

Evangelism and Church Life and Work

The Assembly resumed consideration of the recommendations, as printed. No. 4 was discussed.

The Order of the Day having arrived further consideration was deferred.

Board of Administration

Overture, Presbytery of Montreal *re* "Penmarvian" Endowment

Mr. C. M. Pitts reported upon the unprinted Overture from the Presbytery of Montreal, and recommended, seconded by Mr. D. M. Rowat, that no further action is necessary. This was agreed to.

Upon motion of Mr. C. M. Pitts, seconded by Mr. E. W. McNeill, printed Recommendation No. 5 was adopted.

Mr. Pitts requested permission to withdraw printed Recommendation No. 7, as a result of a conference with the Mission Board. By permission of Assembly the Recommendation was withdrawn.

Re Book of Praise

In connection with the publishing of the Book of Praise, the contract for which must be renewed, in order to ensure a supply of these books it is recommended that the Board of Administration be given authority to issue in the matter.

Upon motion of Mr. C. M. Pitts, seconded by Mr. E. W. McNeill, the recommendation was adopted.

The report as amended, was then adopted as a whole, on motion of Mr. Pitts, seconded by Mr. McNeill.

Evangelism and Church Life and Work

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report with its recommendations. Dr. J. S. Shortt moved, seconded by Mr. Peter Dunn, the adoption of recommendation No. 4, as printed. After due consideration and discussion, and upon the vote being taken, the motion to adopt was lost.

Recommendation No. 5, as printed, was approved.

Recommendation No. 6. It was agreed to delete from the recommendation the following:— "And that congregations be enjoined to refrain from all questionable methods for raising money for the work of the Church." With this amendment the recommendation was adopted.

Recommendation No. 7, as printed, was approved.

Recommendation No. 8, on motion of Mr. Wm. Barclay, duly seconded, it was agreed that this be referred to a Committee consisting of Dr. Stuart

C. Parker, Dr. S. B. Nelson, Dr. J. S. Shortt and Mr. J. B. Thomson, to consider and report.

The Convener submitted the following supplemental recommendation which, on motion of Dr. Shortt, duly seconded, was approved:—

Recommendation No. 9. "In view of the fact that during the present year the four hundredth anniversary of the beginning of the English Reformation, which marks the setting up of the Bible in the Parish Churches, is being commemorated in England and in other parts of the Anglo-Saxon world, the General Assembly recommends that this be made the occasion to remind our people of the place of the Bible in our Church and National Life, and urge the necessity of the daily reading of the Bible in family and private life."

Further consideration of the report was deferred and the Committee appointed in connection with recommendation No. 8 was permitted to retire.

Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report of the Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies, with the recommendations as printed.

Recommendation No. 4, as printed, was adopted.

Recommendation No. 5 was amended to read:— "That Ministers and Sessions be reminded that a Communicant's class should be conducted in every congregation, at least once a year," and as amended, was adopted.

Recommendation No. 6 was amended to read:— "That instruction in the Missions of our Church be given in every Sabbath School and Young People's Society, and that where a weekly offering is not taken an opportunity should be given for an offering at least once a month for the Budget," and as amended, was approved.

Recommendation No. 7 was approved, as printed.

Recommendation No. 8. On motion of Mr. E. W. McNeill, seconded by Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor, it was agreed that the wording of the recommendation be changed as follows:— "The Board of Administration" in place of "The Budget and Stewardship Committee", and that the words "who shall be appointed forthwith" be deleted.

Dr. Barr moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the recommendation be referred back to the Board of S.S. and Y.P.S. for further consideration, having regard to the appointment of a male Field Secretary for Boys' Work, and report back to next Assembly, and that in the meantime the Board be permitted to ask Presbyteries for nominations.

Upon the vote being taken the amendment prevailed and became the judgment of the Court.

Further consideration of the report was deferred, to be taken up as the first order of business at the next Sederunt.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place, at two o'clock in the afternoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

NINETEENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place on the same day at two o'clock in the afternoon.

The General Assembly met by adjournment, and was constituted, Dr. George E. Ross leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

BOARD OF SABBATH SCHOOLS AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report with its recommendations.

Mr. E. A. Thomson submitted the following resolution:— It was moved by Dr. Stuart C. Parker, seconded by Mr. E. A. Thomson and agreed, "That the Board of Administration and the Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies in consultation provide such help as may be found necessary throughout the year in the work of the Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies; and that the cost of such help be met out of the general revenues of the Church."

Recommendation No. 9 was amended to read as follows:— "That week day Religious Education in the Public Schools, with the Ministers and Teachers loyally conducting it and a syllabus prepared as a guide for that work, be heartily commended," and as amended, was adopted.

Recommendations Nos. 10 and 11 as printed were approved.

The following additional recommendations were submitted by the Convener and were approved:—

1. "That owing to the need of more efficient teaching in our Sabbath Schools, Presbyteries and Kirk Sessions be urged to make provision for the training of teachers.

2. That we express our sincere appreciation of the manifold services rendered the youth of our Church, and the Church as a whole, by the General Secretary of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies, Dr. W. M. Kannawin."

The report as a whole, as amended, was adopted on motion of Mr. W. T. McCree, seconded by Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor.

THE PRESBYTERIAN "RECORD"

Dr. W. M. Rochester recommended and on motion, duly seconded, it was agreed that paragraph two of the printed report be amended by deleting from the first section all the words after the word "year", leaving it thus, "The receipts show a decline from those of the previous year."

The report, as amended, was adopted as a whole.

COMMITTEE ON CORRESPONDENCE WITH OTHER CHURCHES

Dr. W. M. Rochester submitted a further report and asked permission to amend the paragraph "Assemblies Overseas" by adding to the Churches visited, "The Free Church of Scotland, and The United Free Church." This was agreed to.

That the second paragraph on page 110 "*Re* Our name on Alliance Records" be amended as follows, for the last three lines beginning, "The Commission was carried out," substitute "When the matter was considered by the Business Committee and later by the General Council of the Alliance, there was absolute unanimity in the decision that the asterisk and the note should be removed from the records of the Alliance."

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Wm. Barclay, seconded by Dr. S. B. Nelson, that the paragraph be amended by inserting before the words "this Commission" the words, "with the co-operation of The United Church Representatives."

Upon the vote being taken as between the recommendation and the amendment, the latter prevailed, and the motion, as amended, became the judgment of the Court. The report as a whole, as amended, was adopted, on motion, duly seconded.

The Assembly called for the Overture, as printed, from the Presbytery of Westminster *re* Representatives and Ministers of the Church of Scotland visiting Canada. No one appearing in support, the Overture failed.

COMMITTEE *Re* APPEAL DR. M. M. MACODRUM

Dr. Taylor, for the Clerks, reported as follows:— "The Clerks of Assembly recommend that the Committee upon the situation in the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland, and the City of Sydney, be as follows:— Mr. G. S. Lloyd, Cornwall; Mr. J. R. Graham, Sherbrooke, Ministers, and Mr. J. G. MacPhail, Ottawa, Elder.

Upon motion, duly seconded, this was adopted. The Committee was accepted and the Clerks were empowered to appoint another Elder, should Mr. MacPhail be unable to act.

COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER AND REPORT ON NOMINATIONS FOR SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS

The Moderator nominated and the Assembly approved of the following Committee:— Dr. N. A. MacLeod, Convener; Mr. Joseph Wasson, Dr. J. S. Shortt, Ministers; Mr. J. W. Marshall and Mr. G. L. Sutherland, Elders.

EVANGELISM AND CHURCH LIFE AND WORK

Dr. J. S. Shortt reported for the Special Committee appointed to consider recommendation No. 8 and submitted the following resolution, which, on motion, duly seconded, was adopted. "In view of the long drawn out experience of Social and personal injury due to the immoderate use of alcoholic liquor; and in view of the still present danger to the well being of our people from that cause; the General Assembly enjoins all members and

adherents of the Church to show an example of self-denial and temperance, and further earnestly urges upon our Governments and their Executives to make their sole consideration, in dealing with the liquor traffic, the welfare of all classes of the people.''

The report as a whole, as amended, was then adopted.

Resolutions

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Resolutions which was given in and read by Dr. H. Munroe, the Convener, and upon his motion, duly seconded, was adopted. The report is as follows:—

The General Assembly records and hereby tenders its sincere thanks to:—

1. The Minister, office-bearers and congregation of Calvin Church, for placing their beautiful place of Worship at the disposal of the Assembly, and making satisfactory arrangements for the comfort of the Assembly and its Committees.

2. To hosts and hostesses for their gracious hospitality.

3. To the Rev. E. Foreman, Chairman of Committee on Arrangements, and to the Secretary of the Billeting Committee, Rev. J. Y. Fraser, and those associated with him for efficiently carrying out the work of this Committee.

4. To the Ladies of Calvin Church for making provision for a supper to the Commissioners.

5. To the Organists and Choir of the Church for their assistance in the Service of Praise.

6. To the Committee in charge of ''Penmarvian'' for arranging a visit to Paris, in order that Commissioners might see the provision made for sick and retired Ministers.

7. To the Rev. John G. Inkster, D.D., The Hon. W. D. Ross, Mr. J. A. McLeod, and Mr. Thomas Rennie for a pleasant trip to the Toronto Island, with dinner and a happy hour of fellowship at the Royal Canadian Yacht Club.

8. To the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Telegraph Companies for facilities provided.

9. To the Press for full and fair reports of the proceedings.

10. To His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, Mr. Albert Matthews, for his visit to the Assembly and his gracious message.

11. To His Worship the Mayor of the City and its Officials for courtesies extended to the Commissioners, and to the City Police for traffic facilities.

12. To the Post Office Department for special facilities granted to the Assembly.

Thanks to the Moderator

Upon the motion of Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor, duly seconded, the thanks of the Assembly were tendered to the Moderator for his conduct in the Chair.

Upon the motion of Dr. Hugh Munroe, duly seconded, the thanks of the Assembly were extended to the Clerks also.

Minutes Sustained

It was agreed, on motion, duly seconded, to take the Minutes of the 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th Sederunts as read and sustained.

Close of Assembly

The business being finished, the Moderator addressed the Assembly. Thereafter the Assembly joined in praise, singing the one hundred and twenty-second Psalm, verses six to nine inclusive. The Moderator then led the Assembly in prayer and said ''In the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, the only King and Head of the Church, and by the authority of this Assembly, I now dissolve this Assembly, and appoint another General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, to meet in the Town of Midland, Ontario, and within Knox Church there, on the first Wednesday of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at eight o'clock in the evening.''

The Moderator then closed the Sessions with the Apostolic Benediction.

APPENDICES

REPORTS OF BOARDS, STANDING COMMITTEES, ETC.

THE GENERAL BOARD OF MISSIONS

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Board desires to join with other Boards of the Church in expressing our deep regret at the passing of Dr. A. J. MacGillivray, who was for several years a member of this Board and a former Convener. We wish to place on record our deep appreciation of the valuable and devoted services rendered by him to the Church. We regret also to report the death during the year of Dr. R. J. Douglas whose retirement as Synodical Missionary, on account of ill-health, was reported to last Assembly. Dr. Douglas gave many years of faithful service to the Church in the West.

During the past year, the work under the direction of your Board, both at Home and in the Foreign field, has received careful attention. The plan approved by the General Assembly in 1936 under which two Sub-Executives are appointed—one for Home Missions and the other for Foreign Missions, to carry on the work between the meetings of the General Board and the Executive has proved to be very satisfactory.

In the Home field, encouraging reports have been received from many quarters, especially from the mining fields in Northern Ontario, indicating steady progress at Kirkland Lake, Hawk Junction and Geraldton. The attention of the Board has been called to rapid developments in the Val D'Or district in Quebec, and in the Goldfields area in Northern Alberta and Saskatchewan, and steps are being taken to provide services wherever possible. In British Columbia it has not been found possible or advisable at the present time to follow up the results of the survey made of the interior valleys. Mr. Funston, who has given devoted service in the Stewart field, on the Portland Canal during the past year, has been released to enable him to take charge of the work at Prince Rupert, where we have a church and an organized congregation.

Conditions in Saskatchewan, due to continued drought and consequent crop failure, made it necessary that your Board should respond to the appeal of that Synod, for one year to treat the pastoral charges in this Province on the basis of a frontier field. We hope that this action will meet with the hearty and sympathetic support of the whole Church. In this connection we wish to pay tribute to the W.M.S. (W.D.) which at once contributed $1,000 for this purpose.

Reports have been received of the movement of a large number of families into Northern Saskatchewan, and your Board has agreed to co-operate with the Synod in a thorough survey of that entire district, so that definite plans may be formed for ministering to the people there who are trying to make a fresh start.

The problem of adequate and efficient supply for our winter mission fields is still with us. It is not in the best interests of the fields, or of the Church at large, that young and untried men should be appointed. But each autumn the Board is faced with the same difficulty due to a lack of trained men. Last Assembly appointed a committee to consider and report upon this question in connection with the suggestion for a Summer Session in Theology.

In the Foreign field there have been several changes in the personnel of the staff, and some developments.

North Formosa

Conditions in China and Japan have caused considerable anxiety in recent months. The work in North Formosa however, we are glad to report, has been carried on without serious interference. The requirements of the Japanese authorities with reference to the use of Japanese are placing a heavy burden upon the missionaries, and upon the finances of the Board, as this will require all missionaries going to Japan for extended periods for language study. Dr. E. Stevens, who returned to Formosa recently from furlough, has found it necessary to go to Japan for a year for language study. It will be necessary to secure at an early date a competent medical missionary for the MacKay Memorial Hospital, to take the place of Dr. Little, whose contract terminates in the Fall of 1939. Dr. Little has rendered most helpful and efficient service in the MacKay Memorial Hospital and the Board deeply regrets that he cannot extend his engagement.

Dr. G. Gushue-Taylor returns to Formosa early this year and will be occupied chiefly with his duties as Superintendent of the Happy Mount Leprosy Hospital. He will be retained in a consulting and advisory capacity in connection with the MacKay Memorial Hospital, and will receive financial support from the Board.

Koreans in Japan

Dr. L. L. Young has returned to Japan, leaving Mrs. Young in Canada on account of her health. The work in this field is progressing, and while the present outlook is uncertain, it is the hope of the Board that no serious difficulty may arise.

Manchuria

Rev. A. Reoch and Mrs. Reoch returned to Japan for further language study so essential under present conditions. Reports from this field are most encouraging. Mr. and Mrs. Davis will be in Canada on furlough this Summer and Winter, and will be available for deputation work.

British Guiana

We are pleased to report that Mr. Marshall's health was greatly improved during his stay in Canada and that he and his family returned to British Guiana early this year. We hope that Mr, Marshall's health will enable him to carry to completion the plans in hand for the erection of churches and schools, and the further organization of the work. Generous contributions have been made by Sugar-Estates Authorities toward the erection of churches. Through the donation of $5,000 made by the W.M.S. (E.D.) steps are being taken for the erection of a church in Georgetown. It is expected that Rev. James Dunn will be in Canada this Summer on short leave.

India

We are pleased to report that Dr. Quinn is now in charge of the hospital at Jobat and is taking a deep interest both in the medical work and in the opportunities of evangelistic work in connection with the hospital.

Rev. C. L. Wood and family have returned to their field. Dr. Buchanan is now in Canada on furlough. His retirement will come into effect at the end of that period. The Board desires to take this opportunity of congratulating Dr. Buchanan upon his long and honourable record of service in India. Plans are being made to send out at an early date a suitable ordained man as evangelistic missionary to fill the gap in the ranks.

Jhansi

We regret to report that Rev. A. A. Lowther, who rendered such fine service while home on furlough last year, has been laid aside through illness since returning to India. Upon the advice of several doctors, he has gone to Australia for six months, in the hope that change of climate will be beneficial.

Negotiations with the Foreign Mission Board of The Presbyterian Church in the United States are being carried on with a view to closer co-operation. Plans are also being worked out looking to a solution of the problems connected with the agricultural and industrial work, which we hope will open the way for a larger measure of activity along evangelistic lines.

Rules and Regulations referring to Foreign Missions and Missionaries' salaries and allowances: Your Board has given careful consideration to the question of revising certain of the rules at present in force; has compared them with those of other churches working in the foreign field, and considers that it is advisable to make several changes.

Certain recommendations which have received the unanimous approval of the Board are therefore submitted for the approval of the Assembly, and will be found printed in the recommendations. In considering the question of salaries and allowances for foreign missionaries, it should be kept in mind that in addition to the benefits provided under the Pension Fund, with which all foreign missionaries are required to connect themselves, the Church provides for payment upon retirement through infirmity or old age, of an annual allowance based on the years of service on the field, with a maximum payment of $600.00 per annum after forty years of service.

Appointment of Home and Foreign Mission Secretaries

In accordance with the instructions of last Assembly, the Presbyteries of the Church were requested to forward nominations for the position of Home Mission Secretary. The matter of a Foreign Mission Secretary was by the Assembly referred to the Executive Committee to call for nominations if they deemed it advisable so to do. The Executive Committee at the meeting in September last decided to ask Presbyteries to forward nominations for this position also. The nominations as received were reported to the General Board at its meeting in March, and the action taken is set forth in the recommendations.

We beg to submit the following recommendations:

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That a Secretary for Home Missions be appointed, and that Rev. W. A. Cameron, D.D., of Vancouver, receive such appointment.

2. That a Secretary for Foreign Missions be appointed, and that Rev. A. A. Lowther, B.D., receive such appointment.

3. That the Rules and Regulations governing our foreign missionaries be amended as follows:

   (1) *Foreign Mission Councils:* That the Mission Councils be composed of the missionaries appointed by the Board and by the Women's Missionary Societies.

   (2) *Travel to and from the Field:* The travel of missionaries from the point of view of the Board is for the purpose of securing safe and comfortable journeys between their homes and fields of labour. Incidental sight-seeing and visiting are desirable but should be considered a personal charge. Missionaries going to their field of labour, or returning on furlough shall be entitled only to the actual cost of transportation by the shortest route; and an allowance

for necessary incidental expenses such as berth and meals on train, transfer of baggage from train to steamer, hotel expenses for one night at ports of embarkation and disembarkation, if necessary. Each missionary shall render to the Board a detailed account of all travel expenses to and from the field, and shall return to the Board all unexpended balances.
Missionaries appointed to India shall receive $100.00; Formosa, Japan, Manchuria $75.00; and British Guiana $40.00 per adult for these incidental expenses.

(3) *Allowance for Outfit:* Each new missionary appointed to British Guiana shall receive $100.00 for outfit; other fields $200.00.

(4) *Salaries:* The present scale of salaries for the different foreign fields remains unchanged, but the maximum salary, including all allowances shall be $2,600.00 per annum. It should be noted that the Board is not responsible for the payment of income taxes.

(5) *Children's allowances* shall be reckoned as follows:

From	5 years and under 12 years.....	$100.00 per year
"	12 " " " 16 "	150.00 " "

If away at school or a teacher employed on the station $100.00 extra shall be allowed for each child between the ages of 5 and 16 years.
When missionaries are at home on furlough, with salary paid in full and house rent provided, there shall be no children's allowance paid.
All provision made by these regulations for the children or orphans of missionaries, whether as annual allowance or for travelling expenses shall apply to children under sixteen years of age, and to these only.
The Board will also provide for the transportation of missionaries' children up to the age of sixteen years when accompanied by their parents at the regular furlough period. At all other times the cost of children's travelling expenses shall be the responsibility of the missionary.

(6) *Vacation Allowance:* A single, male missionary shall receive $75.00, and a married missionary $150.00 towards vacation expenses, but such allowances to be drawn only when vacation is taken.
The vacation allowance does not apply during the furlough year.

(7) *Rent Allowance:* Missionaries home on furlough shall pay a rental of $15.00 per month in all cases where rent to that amount is required; and in cases where it is necessary to pay more than $15.00 per month, the Board shall supplement the amount on the understanding that in no instance shall the sum thus paid by the Board exceed $25.00 per month.

(8) *Medical Attention on the Field:* At the discretion of the Board.
Medical Expenses on Furlough: That henceforth the Board will assume no responsibility for medical expenses of missionaries while at home on furlough.

Medical Examination: Missionaries arriving home on furlough shall have a thorough physical examination by the Board's Doctor, which shall be reported to the Board. No missionary on furlough shall be allowed to return to his work on the field without undergoing a thorough physical examination by a doctor chosen by the Board.

(9) *British Guiana, Short Leave:* In view of the recommendation from the Mission Council, it was agreed to recommend, That British Guiana missionaries be allowed to leave the Colony for three months after two years of service, on the understanding that they become responsible for their own travelling expenses.
Present regulation provides six months' furlough every four years with travelling expenses paid by the Board. Recommended that this regulation continue to apply to missionaries who serve for four years without short leave.

(10) *Withdrawal Allowance:* In any case where a missionary on active service should decide to withdraw from the work at the end of a regular term of field service, the Board's liability shall be limited to the necessary expense of the journey home and to two months' additional salary.

(11) That the above changes shall become effective as of January 1st, 1939; and that in the meantime all missionary councils and missionaries be notified of the changes.

4. That with regard to the three-year rule for members of the Board; it is recommended that one-third of those due to retire be eligible for reappointment.

5. That application be made on behalf of Rev. John Buchanan, D.D., for permission to have him placed on the Pension Fund.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. M. HILL,
Convener.

J. W. MACNAMARA,
Secretary.

Appended are the reports of the work of the Board for the year 1937.

HOME MISSION REPORT

Reports of Synodical Missionaries

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

1937

The Report of "The Maritime Synod" surveys one of the oldest Presbyterian Missions, in Canada. Originally, this field extended from the City of St. John's, Newfoundland to Woodstock, New Brunswick, and from the Gaspé Coast to Cape Sable, Nova Scotia. The disruption in 1925, made some inroads all over this extensive field, but there is some evidence of repentance due to disillusionment, and not a few of the voluntary exiles have returned to the Presbyterian fold. Depleted to an appreciable extent in its ministerial personnel, our Roll has gradually grown numerically during the 12 intervening years. Today we report 91 ministers, 786 elders, 10,938 families, 19,743 Communicants, 45 self-sustaining charges, 47 augmented congregations, 30 mission fields, aggregating in all, 239 congregations and preaching stations; surely a very respectable demonstration of reconstruction effort!

The Mission Fields are directly under the care of the six Presbyteries; our policy being to make each Presbytery responsible for the mission fields within its bounds. These fields are carefully visited by the H. M. Conveners, and, in order to increase the Budget Contributions, ministerial exchanges are conveniently arranged. According to the Annual Report of Assembly, our percentages compare favourably with other Synods. Our vacancies are being gradually filled by a fine group of younger men, who are showing commendable activity among the young people, in the matter of Junior Societies, Schools for Bible Study, and Provincial Rallies.

For the first time some of our conveners have embodied in their reports to the Synod's Convener, complaints in *re* the service of some of our students. One student is reported to have reorganized the entire services in his mission field, to suit his own ideas of self-determination. The former hours of public worship were adjusted to enable the student missionary to sing in the choir of another denomination, as well as to enable his young people to attend other attractive services. As this field has already given not a little concern to some of our best leaders, the criticism and friction entailed by this unwise arrangement, has in some measure undone the good work of previous years, and has not added to the reputation of the student, the record of a discreet leader. As there is no follow-up work in the field during the winter months, for financial reasons, that other denomination has consistently capitalized the situation, to our manifest disadvantage.

Another student who rendered excellent service during the previous summer, greatly hindered his own service during the second year, by an embarrassing sentimental propensity. In a field where there was considerable strife and bitter controversy during 1925, this lack of sound judgment opened up many old sores, and presented new and difficult problems to the H. M. Convener. Here was a good student, capable of excellent service as already demonstrated, yet, for lack of sympathetic guidance, in a matter not wrong in itself, undermining the good service of many students in this same field.

A third student is severely reviewed in *re* his summer's work, for using his auto in exploring the highways, and by-ways of the county, to the neglect of his special responsibility. *His* home being in the vicinity, and possibly *another* attractive home not far distant, proved a serious menace to intensive and aggressive service where it was very desirable, both to relieve the strain of a straitened treasury, and many families deprived of the means of grace during the larger part of the year. It is very significant that this field has requested the Presbytery, to send them a student next

summer who is many miles from his home, or any specially attractive home. They do not ask for an inspector of highways.

A fourth student proved rather an exacting financial expert, and pressed his transportation requirements beyond the limits of discretion. He too possessed an auto which did yeoman service beyond the boundaries of his summer field. Thus wiser heads had to be requisitioned in due course to iron out the creases. Let it be understood that none of these fell down because they were inadequate to the regular work of the pulpit or the field. Each was well equipped, academically, but owing to their indiscretions, Presbytery conveners have decided not to employ students for two consecutive years in the same field. It may very well be that the majority of our present-day students are more immature than in former years, and lean too much upon the financial sympathy of the General Board of Missionary Societies. Arts students were not employed in earlier years, to the exclusion of divinity students of some experience, as a general rule of the Church. Most of you present will bear me out, that many of us had to teach school for two or three years, in order to finance a college education, and were, of necessity, more experienced men when serious responsibilities presented themselves.

These criticisms, coming from wise and experienced conveners, may stimulate perhaps, all our Presbyteries, to be more careful in the selection of students, and to exercise a closer supervision of the mission fields and the students. I repeat that the men complained of were by no means inferior men, nor incapable of better work—if wisely guided by responsible officials of Presbytery. The complaints stressed touch merely upon the indiscretions of good-hearted, but indiscreet workers, for the moment handicapped by the sentiments of manifest immaturity. A hint from an experienced leader, before entering upon the summer's work, would put each student on guard, and under self control. So advised, we may confidently expect the auto to seek out "the maimed, the halt and the blind." Being men of like passions with ourselves, in time the prospective nursery will wonderfully eliminate any superfluous sentimentality.

The question of how best to utilize our theological graduates has been under discussion before more than one Assembly. It has been suggested that all graduates should pass through a period of probation in some mission field, or as assistant minister, before being let loose in a well organized congregation. To some of us, at least, it seems a move in the right direction. There is a very manifest disposition on the part of some students to climb immediately into the most responsible pulpit in the land. Indeed, one outstanding statesman recently confided to me, that in political life the same weakness is visible. However, in the work of the ministry, one expects candidates, properly instructed, at home and in the Seminary, to put first things first. In the home land there *is* such a period of probation, and the fruit of it is visible in a very fine type of ecclesiastical workman. Our mission fields would surely be greatly strengthened by the continued service of some excellent young graduate for a period of two years, and the experience would be invaluable to the best equipped student, academically. A letter received by one of our conveners a few years ago, from an excellent graduate, raised this very question. He wanted to be recommended to one of our best charges. In reply, he was asked whether he would not consider one of our needy mission fields for a period of one or two years, and then take a trip abroad. His reply was significant: "Your suggestion does not appeal to *me*."

In spite of these little infelicities on some fields, there comes a general optimistic outlook from most fields. In Grand Falls, Newfoundland, the Rev. H. J. Scott, late of North Bay, Ont. is doing excellent work. His congregation has in former years suffered sadly from misfits, but is now recovering under wise and experienced leadership. Grand Falls is situated in the centre of the Harmsworth Pulp and Paper Industry, and is only distant a few miles from Botwood, the first stop of the Trans-Atlantic Airways. The Buchan Mine is also in this vicinity, and the officials are members and adherents of this congregation. Other fields, such as Deer Lake, Corner Brook, Curling,

have not been served by our church for some years, owing to lack of funds. New Brunswick has enjoyed the experienced services of Dr. Frank Baird, in certain specified fields, during the past year, and present winter. As his personal report will be presented to the Board, no further reference is necessary, beyond assuring the Board that excellent work has been done, and the outlay amply justified.

Another brave workman has fallen at his post. The Moderator of the Halifax Presbytery, Rev. John A. Pritchard, B.A. of Springhill, Nova Scotia, suddenly passed out in January. He gave but 18 years of service, having entered the ministry late in life, but, they were all strenuous and profitable years. The very large assembly, during a most inclement day, at the closing services, testified to the large and useful place he filled in the church and the community. He was judicious, tactful, and kindly. Of him we can truly record, "Well done, good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

W. McCULLOCH THOMSON,
Convener.

THE SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

REPORT FOR 1937-38

MISSION WORK

The Mission Work of the Synod of Montreal and Ottawa has been carried on much as usual during the past year. Pulpit Supply has been arranged from my office for all Congregations and Mission Fields within the Synod wherever such has been requested. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper has been dispensed in all the Student Mission Fields. Baptisms, burials and marriages have been performed and all the work in connection with the supervision of the Student Mission Fields and Ordained Mission Fields has been attended to. There is nothing unusual to report in the work of the Mission Fields of the Synod.

OFFICE WORK

My office work has continued to be varied and extensive. The City of Montreal is a large centre with a large Presbyterian Constituency within itself, and people are coming and going continually from almost every quarter of the Earth. I am the only Official of the General Assembly in this District. I am also Clerk of the Synod of Montreal and Ottawa, and Clerk of the Presbytery of Montreal, and any one within the local constituency or any one coming to the City from anywhere whatsoever wishing to know or discuss anything about the Presbyterian Church in Canada is usually referred to my office. Almost all the Committee meetings of the Presbytery and of the Synod are also held in my office. These things make my office pretty well the centre of Presbyterianism for the district.

Correspondence.—My correspondence continues to be heavy and varied. During the past year, March 1st, 1937 to February 28th, 1938, my postage account for all purposes was $174.59. Of course this would be completely impossible, were it not that the Presbytery of Montreal and the Synod of Montreal and Ottawa provide me with a capable secretary.

Interviews and Telephone Calls.—A very large amount of my time is taken up with meeting people who come to my office. Quite frequently almost my whole day is taken up in this way, and quite often I have a waiting list of callers almost continually from morning to evening. These visitors come from within the Presbytery of Montreal, from the different parts of the Synod of Montreal and Ottawa and from other parts of Canada and very frequently from other parts of the Earth. Most of these visits are in connection with Church work in some form or another, and I consider this phase of my work very important. When I am absent from my office, my secretary, who is thoroughly conversant with all matters relating to the Presbyterian Church in Canada, is usually able to give such information as visitors may require. I have a great many telephone calls and very frequently a large part of my day is taken up with answering these.

The Conference of the General Presbyterian Alliance.—The General Presbyterian Alliance met in Montreal last June. A good deal of time was given to it. I was appointed a member of a Committee of three, as representing the Presbytery of Montreal in making arrangements for receiving and entertaining the delegates to this Conference, and I was the Presbyterian Representative in arranging billets, etc. Between the United Church of Canada and the Presbyterian Church, we raised $8,000 for the entertainment of the delegates. This was all raised in the City of Montreal. Then, I was appointed a delegate to the Conference and I felt it my responsibility to attend the meetings. It was all most enjoyable, but it took time.

Huntingdon Leaders' Conference.—The Annual Leaders' Conference was conducted as usual from July 5th to 12th. We have to thank the W.M.S. for the use of their large and commodious School Residence there. If it were not for this, the Conference could not be held. We also thank St. Andrew's Church, Huntingdon, for the use of their beautiful Church and equipment for our Lectures. The attendance was about as usual. The regular daily attendance at the Lectures numbered about 50. I consider this Conference of great importance, and the Churches utilizing the opportunities there are profiting greatly by so doing, in their Sunday School and Young People's Work.

SURVEY IN NEW BRUNSWICK

During the past summer, I made two trips to New Brunswick. The first was towards the end of April when we organized a Mission Committee for the Province, which I hope will yet be of great advantage. Then I spent most of the month of August in the Province visiting different parts. I have visited every Congregation and Mission Field in the Province and every Presbyterian Minister and Missionary and discussed with each his local problem and the Missionary Work of the Province in general. I also visited all the unorganized places in which Mr. Macarthur reported us as having found a certain number of Presbyterians. My report in this connection is made separately and multigraphed, and copies are available for any who wish them.

SYNOD EMERGENCY FUND

As in past years, we raised quite a sum of money within the Synod for items of Emergency. This is distributed by a Board of Trustees, and is used to assist in situations which do not come within the regulations of any Church Board. Quite a number of our ministers with very small salaries receive a grant from this Fund, also where there is sickness. Anything of this kind is absolutely confidential with the Board of Directors.

Arnprior Church.—Quite a bit of time and effort was given to save the situation in connection with the Arnprior Church. The Mortgagees took action against this Congregation and got judgment against the Church Property for almost $16,000.00. To this must be added the legal expenses which were heavy. The Mortgagees were about to proceed with the execution of this judgment and to eject our people from their Building. The Synod Emergency Fund Committee took the matter up. A sufficient amount of money was raised so that we were able to pay all the back interest, reduce the Capital Mortgage by $2,400.00; pay all the legal expenses. The Mortgage is now renewed at $10,100.00 at a reasonable rate of interest for five years. Here we must thank the Sub-Executive of the Mission Board for a grant made from the Bequest Funds and also the Church Extension Board. If it had not been for the assistance from these two Boards, we would have found it difficult to have raised sufficient funds to save the situation.

FRENCH WORK

The French Work in the City of Montreal continues to be interesting and promising. Two centres are being maintained.

North End Branch.—What we call our North End Branch, as reported here a

number of times, was originated, in Fairmount-Taylor Church. The work increased to such an extent that our English speaking people objected to the French People occupying their Church to such a large extent. This reached such an acute stage that we withdrew them and rented a Hall in the same District, where they carry on their Services. This is now organized as a regular Congregation of our Presbytery with an Assessor Session. They claim to have three men among themselves as suitable for elders; Communion is regularly dispensed and the work continues to grow. Mr. Smith, our Missionary reports 114 communicant members. With the exception of two or three, these were all Roman Catholics a few years ago. Our problem is to get a suitable building for this French Congregation.

Central Branch.—Here we have a magnificent Church Building, in perfect condition from the floor of the basement to the ceiling of the Auditorium. The Auditorium will seat around 600. In the basement we have a large Assembly Hall, an Office and caretaker's rooms, etc. Rev. J. A. Giguere, a former priest, continues to work there with great enthusiasm. He has a Sunday morning service which is essentially a Bible Study Group with questions, answers and discussion. This is held in the basement of the Church. The attendance at this will number about 70. In the afternoon the Sunday School is held with an attendance of about 70. In the evening a Service is held for all-comers which will run from 200 to 400. On Tuesday evening, another Bible Study Group with an attendance of around 50 is held. On Thursday evening Mr. Giguere conducts his Forum with an attendance of from 100 to 200. On Friday evening at 7.00 o'clock there are Bible Stories for children illustrated with lantern slides and 300 to 500 attend this. New Testaments, Tracts and Portions of Scriptures are distributed.

Christmas Day Service.—The Christmas Sunday School Rally was held at 3.00 p.m. on Sunday, December 26th. I attended. There would be around 600 children there. A Service of music, reading and an address was conducted. Each child then received a small bag of candy, an orange and a Book of Scripture verses. The priests in the Roman Catholic Churches around had warned the children not to go near the place, as the candy was poisoned but the children took their chances on the candy.

A great change has taken place in the conducting of the Service in this Branch. Originally, it was pretty much of a mob of people coming together and very little decorum was observed. Now, while the numbers are not so large as they were, you could not distinguish between the services there and in any of the regularly organized Services.

In my estimation there is almost an unlimited opportunity for Evangelical Mission Work among the French Roman Catholics in Quebec. With a few good French Ministers and money to support them I think we could duplicate our present missions many times over in the Presbytery of Montreal.

Italian Work

The Italian Work continues as usual. Services are still held in three places. In the North End, services are held in a rented room, which was built for a store. This has become too small and there is not room for the people coming to the services. This service is held at 9.00 a.m. and the Sunday School immediately after. In the Centre the service is held in our French Mission at the corner of DeMontigny and Cartier Streets. This service is held at 11.00 a.m. The Sunday School is conducted at the same time as the Service is held. In the South End the Sunday School is held at 4.00 p.m. and the Church Service at 5.00 p.m. in a small Anglican Chapel.

Our great need is a proper Church Building in the North End of the City in which we possibly could consolidate both the work of the North End and the Central Branches. It will require around $30,000.00 to erect a proper Building. We have $5,000.00 on hand for it now, and the Presbytery of Montreal is undertaking a Campaign to secure sufficient funds to provide for this Building.

Chinese Work

The Chinese work in Montreal continues in the same way as in former years. Miss Dickson and her helpers conduct their kindergarten in the Y.M.C.I. through the week. Sunday School is held on Sunday afternoon and the preaching is done by Mr. Soloman Leung, the Presbyterian Student Missionary.

As you will remember two years ago the United Church of Canada offered to hand over to us their Church Building and withdraw from the Chinese work altogether in the City. We were prepared to accept their offer, but obstacles have evidently arisen which have prevented the United Church from implementing their offer. For the past year I have advocated securing another building quite as centrally located for the Chinese Work as the Y.M.C.I.; of fitting this up and conducting our work in this without any respect to what is being done by the United Church. I noticed by the Minutes of the Sub-Executive of the Board in January an inclination to forward my proposal, but I understand that since then there has been certain development in the negotiations of the Sub-Executive of our own Mission Board and the United Church.

The Welsh Church

They continue to carry on their work in the usual way. In January I dispensed Communion to them. They are a fine body of people.

Tyndale House

Tyndale House continues its work as usual, both its evangelical work in the City of Montreal and its summer Camp Work in summer. They have now formed their own Communion Roll. Here again the great need is a suitable Mission Building for their work, and the Committee is taking steps with a view to buying an abandoned Church in that District and negotiations are going on in this direction.

Northern Quebec

A short time ago, I made a trip to Northern Quebec, and went through the Mining Districts. To me this offers a wonderful opportunity for pioneer mission work. There are various groups of Mines. I mention first the Val D'Or Group. The railway reached there in October last. East of Val D'Or 20 miles is the Perron Group. West of Val D'Or is the Malartic Group. West of there 20 miles is the Cadallec Group. Then west of there is the Joannes County where Protestant Farmers are being settled. West of this are the McWatters Mines and then we come to Noranda and Rouyn. 28 miles North West of Noranda there are the Beatty Mines, about ten miles South West of Noranda there are the Arntfield Mines. That ridge last year produced $25,000,000.00 worth of gold and copper. It is just a beginning. It seems quite reasonable to believe that inside of five years that the ridge may produce $200,000,000.00 of metals, with possibly a population of several hundred thousand. The door today is wide open for our Church to enter.

My recommendation is that we put an ordained minister in charge of the whole District with a deaconess and two students under him.

There is a minister on the field, who is working independent of any Church and who has his hand on the whole situation through that District, and he is prepared to transfer his allegiance to our Church.

On my return to Montreal, I called together the Synod's Emergency Fund Committee. I laid the matter before them. They approved of my position and were of the opinion that this work should come Presbyterially under the Presbytery of Quebec. I laid the matter before the Presbytery of Quebec and they passed the following resolution:

"Resolved that this Presbytery having heard the outline as given by Rev. A. S. Reid of the situation in the Mining Districts of Northern Quebec, is in favour of entering that Field and developing the work along the lines suggested by Dr. Reid, and we would recommend to the Mission Board that this be opened on the basis of a Frontier Mission Field of our Church, with the assurance that if such is done, the Presbytery of Quebec will give the work there Presbyterial connection and such Presbyterial Supervision as they may find possible."

The Synod's Mission Committee then met, to which I made a full report and they in turn gave their unanimous approval to my recommendations. A separate report of this is prepared which is available to any one who cares to see it.

In closing my report, I wish to mention the wonderful co-operation I have had within the Synod in every respect; from the Synod as such and its Committees; from the various Presbyteries; from the individual Ministers and Elders; and the Presbyterian people in general.

ALLAN S. REID,
Synodical Missionary.

NORTHERN ONTARIO AND MANITOBA

REPORT FOR 1937

The year's review opened up with our new work in Kirkland Lake in the Presbytery of North Bay, Temiskaming in March, 1937, when in company with Rev. C. J. MacKay, B.A., just released from his pastoral charge of Portage La Prairie, Manitoba, and now minister of Kirkland Lake, I visited this new field, spending a fortnight with him organizing our contacts and inaugurating diets of Public Worship in the Masonic Hall. Soon after Miss Macarthur arrived as deaconess under appointment by the Womens' Missionary Society. Such was the interest from the outset that a congregation was soon organized with fifty-six members to be followed by the election of five elders and nine managers with a Sunday School and all other organizations fully organized. During the year I paid three visits to this new field, the inauguration of the work, the organization of the congregation; and the annual meeting, which by the way was the most hopeful and buoyant I have ever attended. Reports revealed remarkable progress—membership 96, receipts from all sources for 8½ months approximately $1,900.00 and givings to the budget $135.00.

During one of my visits, I held a service in Larder Lake where we have secured a lot for a church there.

April was spent in Winnipeg Presbytery, where St. James Church under my care for several months had arranged for the coming and ordination of Rev. Mack Esler of the Knox College graduating class. Within the year, Mr. Esler was called and inducted into St. James and a new day dawned upon this all but hopeless situation.

May and June were spent in Ontario in attendance at the Synod of Toronto and Kingston, and the General Assembly in Ottawa, with missionary addresses in several churches in Huntsville, Burk's Falls and Magnetawan.

July was spent in Summer School Camps, first at Pumpkin Point for the Presbytery of Algoma, where some 64 were in attendance, and the New School Camp for the Presbytery of Winnipeg at Shoal Lake, Lake of the Woods, where 144 attended in two camps.

September was taken up in the Presbyteries of North Bay, Temiskaming and Algoma and the Executive of the General Board of Missions.

The Autumn was taken up with a fortnight of Missionary Rallies in the Presbyteries of London and Sarnia, some 18 addresses having been given, followed by an itinerary of Kirkland Lake, Geraldton, (Superior Presbytery), Kenora, The Pas, Carberry Portage, Flin Flon, Dauphin, Minnedosa and the meeting of the Synod of Manitoba, returning to Hawk Junction in the Algoma Presbytery.

In the far north I spent three weeks in The Pas, Cranberry Portage and Flin Flon, conducting diets of worship and dispensing the Sacraments and making in all some 45 pastoral visits.

The work in The Pas I found to be more flourishing than in any previous visit. Under the leadership of our missionary Mr. Herbert Davidson our church is the centre of great activity, not only on the Sabbath but throughout the week. Increased interest and progress were most evident. Beginning April 1st the field is assuming $8.00 per week advance on its support of maintenance.

Geraldton in Superior Presbytery is moving forward. During my visit there, the congregation decided to increase their share of maintenance some $7.00 per week. They reported that they had met their share of the church building indebtedness. I conducted diets of worship here, in Little Long Lac—a part of this field—and also Bankfield, dispensing the Sacraments in the former two places.

I spent a week in Hawk Junction dispensing the Sacraments and paying visits to the Summit, Cline Lake and Lockalsh, which are outposts in this field. Hawk Junction is a new field with a new church and cabin manse all paid for. The Sunday offerings amounted to $40.00. Besides the Sunday services at Hawk Junction we have fortnightly services at Helen Mine, The Summit, The Cline and Lockalsh.

After spending a Sunday early in the New Year in Sarnia churches I spent a week in Kirkland Lake attending their annual meeting, conducting services Sunday morning and evening and addressing meetings of the various organizations during the afternoons and evenings of the week. The only difficulty there is in securing a lot, but hopes are entertained for a solution of this problem. After visiting Cochrane where I conducted diets of worship and dispensing the Sacraments I spent three weeks in the Presbytery of Brandon after which I met the Mission Committee of Winnipeg Presbytery, Superior Presbytery and in turn, the Presbyteries of North Bay, Temiskaming and Algoma, taking up with them all their problems for the ensuing summer term.

Having, therefore, visited all sections of my constituency, I found conditions better than in any previous year and with the exception of Minnedosa and Cochrane, all were in a very satisfactory condition.

It will thus be seen that in our strategic frontier centres—The Pas, Geraldton, Hawk Junction and Kirkland Lake, a definite and substantial increase in local financial support is being made, that in the first three, all have church buildings free of debt and that in the case of Kirkland Lake, the people are ready to proceed with a building program. It will also be seen that in these strategic centres, we have shown our ability as a church, to go in and possess the land, to attract a very considerable body of opinion, and to secure a very substantial support in actual membership and in matters financial, and by so doing, undertaking successfully a fair share in building up Christ's Kingdom, with many real evidences of divine grace and favor.

In Northern Ontario, we have the golden and iron links which bind Canada East and West, if not the whole world itself, the destined cradle of a civilization built up through agriculture, mining and manufacturing, the greatest home missionary opportunity which has ever come to the Presbyterian Church in Canada. It therefore behoves us as pioneers, trail rangers, path finders, ancients of the earth and in the

morning of the times, to build courageously and fearlessly, leaving to Almighty God, His Own prerogative to give the increase in His own good time and way.

But while such an opportunity offers itself to us at the present time, we are in no adequate way prepared for it.

The era of decadence is beginning to set in, owing, not merely to our disappointing financial situation, but owing more to our man power. While more than forty of our ministers have passed out of action, through death or otherwise during 1937—and this is a fair annual estimate, 23 are entering our ministry from our colleges. We have not as many mission fields for our undergraduate students heading for our ministry as we had two years ago. Very considerable numbers of worthy young men applying for mission fields, will be unable to secure appointments this year, while the number of ministerial vacancies is on the increase, and congregations are forced to the only policy at hand, of robbing Peter to pay Paul. There is the added fact, that all our young men graduated from both our colleges since 1925, have been assimilated. For the past ten years I have pleaded in our Assemblies, Synods, Presbyteries and Congregations, as well as in our Colleges and Board meetings, for at least 40 recruits a year for our ministry, without much avail, though even this number would enable us to hold what we now have. What kind of reasoning would disprove my conclusion, when 40 ministerial brethren are passing out of action annually, and 23 are entering? So far, any effort to ameliorate this disappointing situation has been perfunctory and abortive.

I do not plead for any mass movement towards the ministry of our church. All I have ever pleaded for, was the realization of such a need by our ministers and Colleges and Boards of our church. Until this need is realized and this problem solved, we must be prepared to grapple in vain with the problems of a decadent church.

W. M. MACKAY,
Synodical Missionary.

SASKATCHEWAN AND ALBERTA

1937

To avoid all possibility of repetition in the Reports presented by the Synodical Conveners and myself, I arranged with the Rev. Gordon S. Baulch, B.A., Convener for the Synod of Saskatchewan, and the Rev. T. H. Rodger, B.A., Convener for the Synod of Alberta, that I would leave with them all details of work in the different Presbyteries, and the individual congregations, and would confine myself to the principles underlying our activities, and a general view of the great territory for which I am responsible. In their Reports they have done their work well and have given many interesting details. Did time and space permit I would like to quote largely from them.

The only exception to this is the Presbytery of Peace River. Since I was the only one who last summer was able to visit that district, I will deal with that. Not that Mr. Rodger, Convener, is not interested in the work there, or is unfamiliar with it. The opposite is the case. In 1935, taking with him in his motor car four of his young people and their musical paraphernalia, away they went over very bad roads, owing to the unusually wet season, up into the Peace River country, and for a month, every night except Saturday, they gave themselves unsparingly to the holding of evangelistic services in Mission Fields out from Dixonville and Brownvale, to the great delight of the people in these places. It was a great piece of work, very profitable to the districts visited, and thoroughly enjoyed by all. On coming back every member of the group reported that, notwithstanding the difficulties they had had to face, it was the most

enjoyable holiday they had ever spent. Would that more of our ministers would take their holidays in that way.

In the summer of 1937 my visit to the Peace River Presbytery was for the purpose of dedicating two new churches for the better carrying on of our work, one at Fort St. John, B.C., and one at Prestville, Alta. At Fort St. John, the Rev. Gordon A. Peddie, B.A., by months of faithful service had prepared the way. When I visited that field in the summer of 1936, I found the people very anxious for a church building as a suitable meeting place, and also to give visibility to our work there, but hesitant because of the difficulties, Fort St. John being sixty-five miles beyond the end of the railway at Dawson Creek, and transportation of material being costly. In consultation with the people at a well attended meeting, we found that with what they were willing to contribute in labor, they thought they could erect a church suitable for their needs for one thousand dollars in cash, and they wanted to know what financial assistance they might expect. I had no authority to promise them any amount, but I asked them if I could get $500.00 could they raise an equal amount? After due deliberation this they undertook to do with enthusiasm. At the September meeting of the General Board of Missions I told the story of their need and of their determination to do their utmost, and secured the promise that the Board would contribute dollar for dollar with what they themselves would raise, up to $500.00. With that incentive they went to work, raised their amount, got the cheque for the equal amount from the Board of Missions, started the construction in the spring of 1937 under the leadership of Mr. A. F. MacSween, B.A., student in charge, and on July 18th, 1937, I dedicated a beautiful church, seating about one hundred, all financial outlay provided for. The best help that any Mission Field or congregation can be given is to show them how to help themselves. This means a new era for them. Fort St. John is now a port of call on the direct airway line from Edmonton to Alaska, and from this time on things will move more rapidly for them.

Prestville, the western end of a large field centering at Wanham, covered so splendidly for a number of years by Miss Margaret Grigor, Deaconess, also needed very badly a church, and encouraged by the fine enthusiasm and cooperation of Fort St. John, they undertook to erect one under similar conditions. They asked for $300.00 on condition that they would raise a similar amount, which application was endorsed by the Presbytery, granted by the Board. After the dedication at Fort St. John I waited over and on August 1, 1937, dedicated at Prestville their new church, equally beautiful, though quite different, from that at the former place. It must always be remembered that the success of any church building is measured not by its original cost, but by how well it serves the community in which it is placed. A church costing a thousand dollars may serve its community just as efficiently as another costing half a million serves the people for whom it was built. Unfortunately the $300.00 asked by Prestville was not sufficient to clear off everything, and $200.00 more are badly needed, and will be thankfully received. Both these places are to be congratulated on their splendid achievements and their fine cooperation. May many other fields follow their good example in helping themselves.

The time between the dedication of the church at Fort St. John, and that at Prestville, was used to make a survey one hundred miles westward to Hudson Hope on the Peace River, where navigation is interrupted for about twelve miles by a series of rapids through high rocky banks. There is no regular means of transportation on the river from Taylor's Flats, and chartering a launch is costly. By organizing a party of eight we were able to make the trip most enjoyably at a cost of six dollars per person. The current of the Peace is very rapid. It takes twelve hours to go up, but the down trip is made in less than five. Hudson Hope has a beautiful location, but there are not enough people living there to place a student there as a centre. The minister in charge of Fort St. John by making the trip by land, which is now possible by the opening up of a new highway, can visit the homes of settlers by the way, of whom there is a considerable and increasing number, and give a fortnightly service at Hudson Hope alternately with the Anglican Church.

Throughout the whole of this great territory, which comprises considerably over half a million square miles, the old problems are still with us with increasing intensity, with new ones constantly arising. Never before were the areas of devastated crops so wide, or the destruction so complete. Three quarters of Saskatchewan had no crop, and a wide area in Alberta suffered worse than ever before. This does not mean that they had poor crops, but literally that they had nothing. It is impossible to give those, who have never seen what eight years' drought can do, a picture of the desolation. The thanks of all who have had to face these conditions go out unreservedly and unstintedly to all who have helped so splendidly and so generously. None of you will ever know just what it has meant to these people in their struggle.

One of the Church's problems that has been intensified is the keeping alive of fields within the desolated areas, which by removals have lost in large numbers their best supporters, and another is the caring for these distracted wanderers as they seek new homes in the far north. If ever they needed the sympathy and care and the ministrations of their Church, it is now. Splendidly has our Church risen to meet the crisis. The word went forth, "Keep all ministers on their fields to serve their people, and their salaries will be guaranteed." That meant more than words can express, and has kept our work intact. Whatever else we have done we have stayed by our people in their greatest need. Thousands of heart broken farmers, facing these last eight years rebuff after rebuff, with a courage at once most remarkable and almost inexplicable, still believing in God and human kindliness, are humbled and grateful beyond words.

But the long strain is leaving its mark on the people to a greater degree than perhaps we like to think. And when I say this I think not only of the men and women on the outposts, facing with such fine courage almost unbelievable conditions, but of the men at the top, as manifested, for instance in the attitude the brief presented by the Government of Saskatchewan to the Commission considering the relations between the Federal Government and the Provinces. The Prairie Provinces painted very dark pictures, and properly so. It was unquestionably the right thing to do. But when the picture was presented what was their attitude? Was it a courageous call to face their problem, and by reducing expenditure at every point to seek to solve it themselves? Not one such suggestion. Forgetting, apparently, that the solution must come from within, all that we have at the end of a strong presentation, is a weak request for more money from without that expenditure may go on as before. When that is the attitude of those at the top is it any wonder that the attitude of those in the remote places is the same, and that little progress can be made in reducing assistance in such an atmosphere?

Our greatest problem is the securing of ordained ministers for our fields. You cannot make permanent progress in building up Mission Fields to self support, when the minister, who must lead, changes every year, or oftener. Neither can you build up a strong Church where similar conditions prevail, and unless our Church watches a manifestly growing tendency, especially among the younger ministers, to seek a change of pastorate after a little over a year's service in a charge, and sometimes even less than one year, dark days lie ahead of us.

I wanted to speak of closer cooperation between Presbyteries and the Board of Missions, in the administration of Mission Fields, and a closer supervision of Presbyteries over fields within their bounds, with a view to the developing of self support among those which have a future, and other provision for those which have not, but neither time nor space will permit. These must be left for another time.

Respectfully submitted,

H. R. HORNE,
Synodical Missionary.

Regina, April 1938.

CHINESE WORK IN CANADA, 1937

We would, first, give thanks to God for His continued blessing upon our Chinese work. There have been difficulties in it. There are, also, evidences of much gain. We are conscious, these days, of the tragedy now being enacted in China. The influence of this is far reaching and reflected here. It would seem, however, to be proving a stimulous, rather than a hinderance, to our mission work. "The Church of Christ in China," writes one missionary, "is faced today with the greatest fight for existence, in its rather turbulent history". God is able still to turn defeats into victories.

There are many matters of quickening interest concerning the progress of the work to report. In order that it may be done briefly, yet comprehensively, let us look at it under certain general heads.

I. *The Workers.*—During the year there have been one or two changes in the staff. The most outstanding was the death of Miss Esther Armstrong, who for four short years served the church so faithfully at Toronto. She is greatly missed, and has become an honoured memory among the Chinese both East and West. We were fortunate in securing the temporary services of Dr. Jessie McBean, late of South China, and also of Miss Helena Gibbs, who is under appointment to Manchuria, to take over this work in Toronto. Mrs. Burkwall, also of South China, is assisting us. We feel very fortunate.

We had 19 workers in the field. 10 of these were Chinese. 7 of the 19 were part time workers. There was much sickness among the workers during the year. Mrs. G. P. Louie, Mrs. Herman, Miss Elsie Lee, and Mrs. Adams were all laid aside for a time. This meant added responsibility for those remaining.

Mr. Paul Chan was appointed Teaching-Preacher at the Ottawa Mission. Born in Canada, Mr. Chan later spent 16 years in China where he took a special 3 years' course in theology. His salary is paid entirely locally. He took the place of Mr. T. Y. Lee who returned to China.

We welcome also, the coming of Mrs. F. Y. Louie, and family to Canada. She is the wife of our Vancouver Chinese teacher, and was permitted entrance under the Immigration Act. She was a teacher and Church worker in South China.

Mr. Solomon Leung served again as a student in Montreal during the summer.

In this connection it may be pointed out here that the question of securing a mission building of our own in Montreal is still under discussion. There is great need of a settlement of this matter. While good work is being done there, under the present arrangement; there is much that waits to be done. The need for an aggressive Chinese evangelist in Montreal is stressed.

Three most faithful friends of the Chinese have recently died. We would pay our respects to their memory. One is Miss Petch of Toronto who served at Cooke's Church Chinese Department, and at the Y.M.C.I. Another is Mr. H. C. Ellis of Ottawa, an Elder of St. Andrew's Church, and for many years President of the Ottawa Chinese Mission. The third is Mr. A. M. Nairn of Montreal, who for years was Presbytery's representative on Chinese work. In paying tribute to each, we remember it is largely because of the faithful band of voluntary workers serving throughout the Church that so much of success has come to our Chinese work, for without them we cannot hope to overtake the widespread opportunity that is ours.

II. *The Work Among the Young.*—Here we have much evidence of Christian fruit. All the different kinds of work among the young is carried on:—C.G.I.T.; Tuxis; Y.P.S.; Bible Classes; Scouts; Mission Bands; English and Chinese classes; Kinder-

gartens; Sunday School and Church Services. Two new groups have just been formed, a Girls' Missionary Auxiliary; and a Young Women's Auxiliary; both at Vancouver. Victoria Sunday School won the Presbytery's Banner this year for attendance, with 85%. Communicant classes were also held for the first time at Vancouver and Victoria, with encouraging results, 8 joining the church on profession of faith. Such subjects as Sin, God, Jesus Christ, Salvation, The Church, Baptism, and The Lord's Supper, were discussed. There were also, during the year 8 older men and women baptized.

Daily Vacation Bible Schools were held at four points, and excellent opportunities for Bible Study given. The fact that several of the Instructor-Teachers were young Chinese is a gratifying feature. Vancouver had an enrollment of 75 scholars and 6 teachers.

A Camp also was held at Keat's Island Camp, B.C. for teen-age girls. This is another new departure. 17 girls were present. The fact that few of the Chinese girls have the opportunity of living in such surroundings meant a great deal. As one girl said, when she sniffed the close air of the Chinese-town again—"Oh, why cannot we stay at Keats!"

Let us look for a moment at our Chinese young men and women. It is not always easy for them to decide to ally themselves with the Church. So often they have to act contrary to the wishes of the parents. It has even meant leaving home, or making some other sacrifice, in order to carry out their Christian decision.

The father, of one of our young women, who was actively opposed to Christian teaching, when lying sick and near to death, expressed, to that same daughter, the desire to be buried by the minister of her church. A young man who is a leader in one of our Young People's groups suffered the severe censure of his father, because he dared to go against his father's wishes. Yet this young man has his mind on the ministry. There is a second young man, graduated B.A. last year, and for two years Superintendent of one of our Chinese Sunday Schools, had to leave home because of the hostile attitude of his parents. He chose that course rather than recant. In a certain photographer's window shortly after his graduation, a picture could be seen, showing this young man, dressed in his gown and hood, with his mother on one side and the father on the other. The offence had disappeared. There was pride in that picture. May I say that young man is taking post-graduate work, philosophy and psychology. He has definitely decided to return to China to study for the ministry.

Madame Chiang Kai-shek, speaking recently to a company of Chinese Students said:—"What we need in this land is an unselfish and high moral leadership. This we can secure through the Christian Church and its great Head, Jesus Christ."

Alongside of this we put the words of her illustrious husband, General Chiang Kai-shek, who at the time of his baptism asked of those present when making his testimony—"Why are so many Christians heads of Departments of Government? It is because they can be trusted," he said, "I also have need of that same God and His Son."

This is the call to Chinese Youth to prepare for leadership. This is the privilege of our mission work in Canada to lead them to the secret of real leadership, even Jesus Christ.

III. *The Growth of Missionary Responsibility.*—This phase of our work has been making rapid progress during the immediately past years. The necessity of giving to the work of the Church at home and abroad is being taught. It is finding response. For not only is this true of our work in Canada, but also of the Church of Christ in China. The struggling mission work in China is especially appealing to Christian Chinese here. Last year, for instance, the Chinese ladies of Toronto, sent $400 (silver

money) to missions in China. With this they supported 3 Bible women, assisted a Leper Hospital and a Home for the Aged, under the Church. They also sent $25 to the W.M.S. (W.D.) as well as considerable money for Chinese relief.

Last year both Vancouver and Victoria Chinese Congregations exceeded their Budget allocations. One gave $153, the other $213. Also the W.M.S. Auxiliaries gave $35 and $75. Add to these amounts $200 raised in Vancouver for the local Building Fund debt and we have a total contribution to the Church of $677. A creditable showing. Both congregations have been duly rewarded by their respective Presbyteries by an increased allocation, one to $180, and the other to $300,—a raise of $100. We hope to make it.

To all this add the cost of the running expenses. Vancouver Chinese required to raise $2,830. This included the Chinese Teacher's salary. Add also the tremendous call for relief in China, and the Chinese response to that end, and we see something of their work.

At Windsor last year was held the first Chinese communion. 35 were present. Dr. Pauline assisted, while Judge Brodie, and Mr. Reid acted as Elders. It was an inspiring occasion.

Extensive visiting has also been done at homes, hospitals, stores, and ships and much street preaching. The number of Chinese unemployed these days gives many ready listeners. We in Canada are reminded that all Christian contacts made here, may in turn bring others in China. That is one of the far-reaching influences, and blessings of the work among these people.

IV. *Literature.*—The distribution of Chinese Christian literature is a great asset to our work. Much is done each year. The Chinese pay a large part of it. There is no grant asked. Requests come from all over the country for this literature.

Saskatchewan Provincial W.M.S. sent out again Sunday School helps, both in English and Chinese, to the widely scattered Chinese families. This was done, also, last year by the Alberta Provincial W.M.S. Moreover, through a Public School survey that was made, a correspondence has been set up in British Columbia with 53 Chinese boys and girls. By this means we not only reach the children, but also the parents, who must interpret for them the Chinese characters.

The Printing House in China from which we get our Sunday School supplies has suffered great losses during the present troubles there. It continues, however, to carry on, and appeals for our prayers and support. As a striking instance of the difficulties facing them, they had no colours with which to print the picture cards. They set to work and made an outline of the lesson illustration in red ink. With the cards came the message—we are sorry but we must "carry on", the need is greater than ever.

V. *Refugee Relief in China.*—Here is a side of our work that is much in evidence today. Literally tons of clothing have been sent from the various Chinese centres. For instance Victoria sent 20 space tons, and Vancouver 40. Many Chinese men are laying aside 10% of their earnings for this purpose. The women are knitting and sewing daily. At Montreal, under Miss Dickson new interest is shown at the women's meetings in consequence, with added opportunity to preach. Toronto has sent over $60,000 already. The fine contribution ($500) given by the W.M.S. (W.D.) for Red Cross work in China, is an admirable gesture. The Chinese throughout the country are high in praise, especially with Church financing today so difficult.

One of the fine things about this relief work is the wonderful way Chinese and Canadians have been drawn together. They sit on the same Committees. In

Saskatchewan, the Lieut.-Governor with leading business men and local Chinese sit side by side to discuss ways and means of raising funds. This is very much worth while.

At a Chinese afternoon tea in Vancouver's China-town, recently put on by the Chinese youth of the city, over 8,000 Canadians trekked through China-town, many of them for the first time, to attend. It was a rare spectacle indeed in that part. Thus is being broken down prejudice of many years' standing and a new interest in Canadian Chinese welfare generated. Out of this may come new contacts for Christ.

VI. *Our Oriental Problem.*—There is one other matter we must touch on that bears greatly on our mission work among the Chinese. There is a new agitation abroad today, particularly in British Columbia. It is taking the form of a demand for a new oriental census that would include the registration of the Japanese population. The Chinese are already registered. There is a grave feeling concerning the rapid increase of the Japanese in that Province. They are now in excess of the Chinese. 150 Japanese can still come in each year to Canada. In 5 years ending 1936 there were 286 Japanese men entered, and 324 Japanese women. The present Chinese proportion of women to men is only 1 in 40 of the population. This disproportion is also being seriously discussed in the light of the present controversy. Some claim it is a poor moral policy to pursue, and urge that since the Chinese are the only nationals in Canada denied the privilege of family life, (since no wives may enter) that something be done to rectify the condition. For linked with this is the growing Eurasian problem, and other acute problems which come as a result. 95 per cent of all Japanese in Canada are in B.C. Only half of the Chinese population are there—some 26 or 27,000.

Allied to this discussion is that part of the problem concerning the 2nd generation, and native born orientals; how they are to fit into our Canadian life:—the question of voting and citizenship. A young Chinese Normal School graduate, but who has not the privilege because she is Chinese, of teaching Public or High School, asked recently "What are we native-born to do—we are so restricted! You do not think they will deport us do you?" This question was asked half in humor. In it, however, was the tone of deep concern.

This, then, is another angle to our work, and to the moral, and spiritual welfare of the land. It demands an answer, and one not too long delayed.

Many of the boys and girls born in Canada are returning from China these days, owing to the disturbance there. Consequently our English classes have been growing, and we have in our missions new opportunities.

VII. In a communication sent recently to this side from China, was an appeal of a missionary that the churches of the West slacken not their interest and missionary efforts in China. "A great crisis," he writes, "is facing the Christian movement there. Let us take a lesson," he said "from the merchants here who on their heavily barracaded shop windows have placards which read 'Business as usual'."

It is interesting to note that the word for "crisis" in Chinese is made up of two other characters meaning "danger" and "opportunity." These two together mean "crisis." In this "danger" to the Church, therefore, is also found "opportunity." The Church must not neglect it. It is often said of China "She has consistently, in her history, lost all her battles, but she has always won her wars." As a missionary Church we have a war to wage. We too must see that we win it. To this end we seek the prayers, sympathy, and missionary interest of our Presbyterian people.

Respectfully submitted,

D. A. SMITH.

ITALIAN REPORT, HAMILTON PRESBYTERY

The cause is small, but very happy and prosperous. It is the only Church that we know that has about as many out at the Prayer Meeting as the regular service. All the work is done by laymen, under the supervision of St. Andrew's Kirk Session. Last year the members raised sufficient money, outside of their contributions, to completely redecorate the Church interior. They keep up their interest payments of a mortgage of $4,400, and are given a small grant each year by the Board. There are no current debts and an effort is being made to reduce the mortgage. No salaries are paid: even the caretaking is gladly done free of charge. Last year the Rev. R. De Pierro, Montreal, gave the little Mission a great spiritual lift; another visit in the near future would not be unwelcome. Again, I should like to pay tribute to Mr. Thomas Blackman, an Elder of St. Andrew's, who for many years has given leadership to the Italian group. Mr. C. Elkington, though not a member of the Presbyterian Church, has been Superintendent of the Sabbath School for a long period. He also merits the praise of the Church at large. This Mission is, indeed, a bright spot of our work in Hamilton.

C. L. COWAN,
Convener.

Non-Anglo-Saxon Work

HUNGARIAN REPORT, HAMILTON PRESBYTERY

The founder of our Hungarian work, the Rev. Frank Kovacs, now in England, has resigned. The health of Mr. Kovacs has made this step imperative. Yet those who were privileged to know that brilliant Hungarian will not soon forget him. He was a master of many languages, an artist and a connoisseur in art, an architect—he designed and superintended the building of the fine local Church—an orator, and a most doughty contender for the faith. And, I almost forgot, an Editor for years of a Hungarian paper. He was a diligent pastor, and his duties, which brought him into contact with subversive elements, were cheerfully and bravely performed. His whole Presbytery regarded him as a brother beloved. His many friends everywhere in Canada wish Mr. Kovacs a speedy return to good health.

The work goes on with quiet effectiveness for the present under the Rev. Charles Kovacs. There are difficulties—as there have been for years with those of communistic tendencies—but our hope is that the preaching of the Gospel is making for real brotherhood among the newcomers. The Church has simply to Christianize these or, without question, they will be a menace. This is our sober judgment, not the conclusion of an alarmist. Years of experience among our non-Anglo residents convince me that more intensive work must be done.

In Welland there is a good work going on under the care of the Rev. Sigismund Laky of Buffalo, N.Y. He gives one service each Sunday, and receives a very small fee from the Board of Missions. The Hungarian Hall in that city is to be sold. It was never suitable for worship. For many years, thanks to the kindness of the Kirk Session of our Church in Welland (Rev. R. A. Cranston, Minister), the Hungarians have worshipped in that fine Church. Again and again the Hungarians have asked for a full-time Minister, but the Presbytery has not seen its way clear to recommend that the request be granted. Meantime, the work goes along steadily.

C. L. COWAN,
Convener of Missions.

HUNGARIAN WORK IN TORONTO AND OSHAWA

The year of 1937 was decidedly the peak year of the five years of history of this congregation. In the past year this congregation has grown spiritually, numerically and financially more than ever before. On the 15th of April, 1937 the congregation received her newly ordained minister in the person of Rev. Charles Steinmetz, who successfully completed his course of study in the University of Toronto, and Knox College. Since reorganization of the congregation in July, 1932, mission work was carried on by Mr. Steinmetz as a student-minister, and by Mrs. Charles Steinmetz, Deaconess. The fifth Anniversary of reorganization was celebrated in July last, by a dignified and solemn service with a large congregation present. During the year, twenty-five new communicants were received, the largest number partook of Holy Communion, and had best attended services. The revenue of the congregation was nearly three times as much as in the previous year, in spite of the fact that half of the congregation are on relief.

The meeting place of the congregation is still the Scott Institute. But the people are prayerfully at labour in various ways, so as to advance the day when all hands can join in building the new church, which will be the first church building for the Hungarians in Toronto. The lot, upon which the congregation is hoping to build, is situated in 206 McCaul Street, approximately 700 feet below College Street, on the West side. The size of the lot is 40 x 134 feet, and is now debt free, thanks and many thanks to the Women's Missionary Society, W.D. of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, for it was the W.M.S. who made it possible for the congregation by their generous gift of $1,000.00 to wipe out the existing mortgage of $2,000.00 in July, 1937. The present value of the lot is $5,000.00 according to the tax bill for assessment for the year of 1937. Upon the lot there is a six-room cottage, which is rented and affords a contribution of $18.00 per month, which takes care of the Annual property tax.

The new church building, which is planned by the minister himself, would be of red brick. The Sunday School auditorium would be in the basement, and the chapel above, with a seating capacity of approximately 200. The size of the building would be 33 x 80 feet, with a tower in the front. The actual cost of the building would be in the neighbourhood of $10,000.00. Of this amount, since July, 1937 to December, 1937, the congregation gathered and saved a total sum of $1,126.22. It is impossible to describe the sincere desire, hope and toil of each and every member and adherent of this Hungarian congregation for a church-home, which they may call "our own." It is a real struggle for "existence"! Did you, dear reader, ever see a human being, who could be grateful for your good deed unto him? Well, these Hungarians are grateful to those who were, and are ready and willing to help them in their struggle for existence! The story of "The Good Samaritan" is before us actually! Can we say "NO" when there is an actual need?

The congregation is determined to build this Summer, regardless how much they have to sacrifice! Yes, but where are they going to get the money from? They leave this problem in the hands of God!

The minister and his wife, the deaconess, are constantly in touch with the people. Pastoral visitations are strictly carried out as the days roll by. Special attention is paid to the sick and shut-in. Seeking the newcomers, interpreting, transcribing letters and documents, making addresses in our respective Canadian Churches are among the outstanding duties, which demand full time.

For the first time, a revision of the Communion Roll was made by the Session, which removed 15 names from the Roll, due to non-attendance or removals to other places. The total revised membership stands now at 105. The congregation last year again, contributed a total sum of $67.00 towards the Budget of our Church.

The following organizations are active in the Hungarian Church:

(a) Sunday School: 70 children, 6 teachers. Meeting every Sunday, 10-11 a.m.

(b) Young People's Society: 36 members. Meeting every Monday, 8 p.m.

(c) Women's Organization: 27 members. Meeting on the first Thursday of each month at 8 p.m.

(d) Choir: 24 members. Rehearsals every Friday at 8-10 p.m.

Special church services were held on Christmas Day; New Year's Day; Good Friday; Mother's Day and Ascension Day. In the past year, a total of 24 special meetings were held by the congregation, by the Young People's Society and the Women's Association, at which refreshments were served. Holy Communion was dispensed six times during the year. Twice by the late Dr. John Stenhouse, and four times by Rev. Charles Steinmetz. There were five births during the year, and three baptisms: two of infants and an adult. There were three marriages and one death. Six young people were confirmed in their Faith, and received into full communion from the Sunday School. A beautiful Hungarian gown was presented to the minister by the congregation at the time of his ordination.

Oshawa, Ont.—It is with great regret that mission work in Oshawa, Ont. among the Hungarians had to be closed in January, 1937, by the order of the Toronto Presbytery. The reason for closing the work there was, that most people who were connected with the Mission, moved away from Oshawa, due to unemployment. Church services were attended lately by only six to ten people, and were unable to meet travelling expences of the Missionary, already owing him $90.15 for travelling expenses.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES STEINMETZ.

UKRAINIAN MISSION, TORONTO

REPORT FOR 1937

Our work among Ukrainians in Toronto is comparatively recent. It was begun in the Autumn of 1929. We began our mission without membership or equipment. I do not know any other Protestant group that is carrying mission work among Ukrainians in downtown district, where there are several thousands of Ukrainians. The Baptist Church is specializing in work among Poles and Russians, for whom they have separate missions. The United Church concentrates its work on Royce Avenue and has no meetings for Ukrainians in our district.

An unusual interest in Ukrainians is shown by Roman Catholics. In spite of apparent lack of success they increase their efforts from year to year. This is interesting because the majority of Ukrainians are Greek Orthodox or Uniats and are not Roman Catholics. Now they have in the district two Ukrainian Priests, and 16 nuns were brought to Toronto for work in the downtown district. It has the same effect as if the W.M.S., would appoint 16 trained deaconesses for our work. These nuns are very active and even stop our children on the streets and teach them how to cross themselves. Roman Catholic shops help them by employing only those who have a letter from a local Priest.

Communists are working even harder than the Roman Catholics. They flood the people with their atheistic literature and propaganda. In our district, in order to keep the people away from Church, they have every Sunday at their Hall music and dancing for children and this begins at 11 o'clock in the morning.

The centre of our work is in the downtown district, but we conduct missions in other parts of the City. We had a mission in Royce Avenue district and as a result 7 persons joined our congregation. They are all coming to Dale Church and we did not lose one of them. We had similar missions in the east end and we are planning to begin another in Rowntree district. In our work we are conducting open air meetings, distributing literature, organizing gospel meetings, etc.

Beginning with this year, through the kindness of the Interboard Committee of

the W.M.C. and a donation from a friend, I am enabled to reach hundreds of Ukrainians with gospel messages through personal letters. This method gives splendid results. A letter is a rare event in a Ukrainian family and it is always read with attention. In my letters I am dealing with problems raised by atheistic propaganda and present the challenge of the gospel.

These letters give me an opportunity to get in personal contact with many persons whom I could not reach otherwise. My letters were met with wide approval and I received four new applications for membership in the mission.

Our work, in spite of many difficulties, shows good progress. We began without any membership and now we have 95 persons. The average attendance is about 30 to 40 in the morning. This is due to the lack of heat in our rooms, which is impossible to remedy. No one would like to come to the Church very often where you get chilled; and then our rooms are situated on the fourth floor and all older people find it difficult to climb up the stairs.

We have a growing Sunday School of 70 children and there are about 30 on the home and cradle roll. Our Sunday School had five teachers but one of them, Miss McIntyre of St. Andrew's Church, could not continue to come, to our great regret, as she was very successful with small boys. Her doctor prohibited her to climb our stairs in Dale Church.

We also appreciate the help of Miss and Mr. Campbell, to whom we are obliged for many improvements in our Sunday School.

Miss L. Heal of Calvin Church is doing a very fine work with older girls in the district. Without the help of Miss Heal we would not have any music for our Sunday School. Miss Heal organized two groups of Boy Scouts and is doing much good in the mission.

We certainly are very thankful to Miss W. Ferguson, Principal of the Deaconess Home for opening up the Deaconess Home for work among Ukrainian girls.

We are carrying on a necessary work of mediation between masses of immigrants and different State and Welfare Institutions. It is our task also to help the people to accommodate themselves to their new environment. This work alone is a good justification for our existence. We feel that we were richly blessed in our work and we look forward with confidence.

If we could have a better accommodation for our work it would help us very much. We thought that Dale Church might provide accommodation for the need of its present congregation and our work as well.

I should mention in closing our sincere appreciation of the interest in our work of the Board of the W.M.S. Heart-felt personal interest in the work of the W.M.S. was always one of the encouraging features for the workers in our mission.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL FESENKO.

Institutional Work

REPORT OF THE SCOTT INSTITUTE FOR THE YEAR 1937-38

"Comfort ye, comfort ye my people, saith your God. Speak ye comfortable to Jerusalem . . . for she hath received of the Lord's hand double for all her sins."

The missionary year just ending has been one of the most trying in the modern history of the Jews.

Used as they are to persecution, and patient as they are in tribulation, that patience has turned to despair. "In Rama was there a voice heard, lamentation, and weeping, and great mourning, Rachel weeping for her children, and would not be

comforted, because they are not." There was a time when, the Jews being driven out of one country, could readily find refuge in another, and when persecuted in one land they could flee and be received with open hands in another country. Now, however, the situation is different. They are persecuted in Poland, in Germany, and in Roumania, but there is no place for the wandering Jews. At such a time our message to the Jew must be of comfort and cheer; and your missionaries at the Scott Institute have taken the opportunity of preaching and proclaiming Jesus Christ the Hope of the world, and Jesus Christ the Redeemer of the world.

Missionary work among the Jews varies and fluctuates with their fortunes and misfortunes the world over. Anti-Jewish feeling in Europe affects our Christian work very profoundly on this Continent; and the Christian attitude toward the Jew influences very materially our success in evangelizing the Jews in Canada. In spite of all the hatred let loose in Europe against the Jewish people, our work has been marvellously blessed, and our testimony has not diminished or suffered the least. For the Jews in Toronto know that the missionaries of the Scott Institute are their friends, and are doing their utmost to create goodwill and true understanding between Christian and Jew.

When a Jew is in need, when a Jew is in trouble, when he is discouraged and perplexed, he is invariably directed to the Scott Institute. When one is hungry and in need of food; when one is homeless and needs shelter; when one is in jail and needs to be visited; when one is in trouble and needs advice; when one is sick and needs a doctor or medicine; when one is threatened with an eviction from home; when one wants a loan of money, or when one is faced with the foreclosure of a mortgage, the missionary at the Scott Institute is the first to be consulted. This being a very major part of our work in the Mission among teeming thousands, and in a district that is the most densely populated area in the city of Toronto, it can readily be seen how hard it would be to put down on paper all the deeds performed, or the work done during the year.

Nevertheless, we should like to record the activities that are going on in the Scott Institute.

The Relief, where we are at the present time, (March 1st) serving about 500 meals a day, in addition to distributing clothing to men, women and children. The Institute is open every day in the week, including Sundays and holidays, from 8 o'clock in the morning till 5 in the evening.

Each Wednesday afternoon, students from Knox College conduct an evangelistic meeting for the unemployed. This season we have been fortunate in having the services of Messrs. Honeyman and Muchan, who faithfully and most successfully conduct the meetings to capacity audiences. These Gospel services are the best we have ever had in the Institute, and all the credit goes to the above mentioned students.

But being in the Scott Institute every day during office hours, and seeing that everything goes smoothly, and that everybody is happy and contented, and that a family of 500 receive a well-prepared, appetizing and satisfying dinner, is not the only work.

WORK IN THE PALMERSTON HOUSE

In addition to this, we have meetings at the Palmerston House practically every day in the week.

On Monday evening, there is the Young People's Meeting, under the leadership of Mrs. Zeidman. This year we have given most of our attention to the Jewish young folk, and we can say, and that without fear of contradiction, that we have meeting at our house one of the most, if not the most successful Young People's organizations found in any Mission on the North American Continent. The importance and the significance of this work can only be realized by those who are actively

engaged in missionary work among the Jews. There seems to be no difficulty experienced in getting the parents, and no difficulty in getting the children; but the young people have always been a problem and a heart-ache. The moment a boy or girl reached 14 or 15 years of age, they never again stepped in to a Mission. It was a difficult and almost impossible task to keep them, or to persuade them to come to a meeting. Now we have organized these young men and young women, who are held together and receive the Gospel message regularly every week by Mrs. Zeidman, who is entirely responsible for this work, and to whom the credit goes of holding together and influencing for good such a large number of Jewish young folk.

Another very important fact to remember is this: these young people are not "down and outs", coming to get something for nothing, or help of any kind. No, they are the average young Jews in the community, who come in for a social hour, discussion of mutual problems, and to listen to the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Tuesday evening we have our mid-week Bible Class and Prayer Meeting, conducted by Mr. Zeidman. These meetings have been well attended during the season by a faithful group, averaging about 20 at each meeting.

On Wednesday afternoon, Miss McArthur is in charge of a Mothers' Meeting. This used to be a Sewing Class, but it has now turned into a Mothers' Bible Class. It is one of the most popular meetings in our Mission, where the Jewish mothers love to come and bring their babies along. They have a sing-song service, prayer, Scripture reading and Bible exposition by Miss McArthur, which is enjoyed by all. Mrs. Zeidman assists with the playing, and Miss Evelyn Carruthers, a volunteer worker, looks after the children. Missionary speakers are invited from time to time to address the Jewish Mothers.

On Wednesday evening, the Junior Boys' Club meets. This Club has not been as successful as we should have liked, largely because we have not been able to secure a steady volunteer worker for this group.

On Thursday evening, Mrs. Zeidman is in charge of an intermediate Young People's Society. This is a new venture in our campaign for the winning of the Jewish Youth to Christ. The Intermediates were too old for the Sunday School children, and too young for the Senior Young People's group, so we organized them into a club by themselves. They, too, come for a social hour, a sing-song, and a Gospel service directed by Mrs. Zeidman.

Friday is usually reserved for visiting homes and hospitals.

Saturday evening, Miss McArthur, with the assistance of two volunteer workers, Miss Kennedy and Miss MacMillan, conducts a Club for Jewish girls. Here, too, the preaching of the Word of God, and the study of the Holy Scriptures, games and songs make up a very interesting programme for 'teen-age girls.

Sunday afternoon, Sunday School is conducted with an average attendance of 50, in charge of Mrs. Zeidman, assisted by Miss McArthur, Miss Findlay, Miss Haslitt, Miss MacMillan, Miss Agnes Dickson, Messrs. Cecil and Jack Iron.

And Sunday evening, the weekly evangelistic service is conducted, which begins with a sing-song service of favourite Jewish hymns, prayer, and Bible reading, after which the evangel is proclaimed in all its fulness, and an urgent appeal is made for those present to accept Jesus Christ as the promised Messiah, the Redeemer and Saviour of Israel and the world. Sometimes interesting discussions take place during this service. Questions are asked and answered in open meeting, and the way is shown from the Hebrew Scriptures, to Him of Whom Moses in the law, and the Phophets did write.

These are the activities which we are privileged to carry on in the Presbyterian Mission to the Jews, better known as the Scott Institute, named in memory of the late

Dr. Scott, of St. John's Presbyterian Church, who was the first Convener of the General Assembly's Committee of Work among the Jews.

Let us pray God that He may bless the work among the people of Him Who came to be "a light to lighten the Gentiles, and the glory of thy people Israel."

M. ZEIDMAN.

TYNDALE HOUSE, 1937

EVANGELICAL SOCIAL SETTLEMENT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA, MONTREAL

ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT

The year 1937 has been one of very satisfactory progress at Tyndale House. Advancement is most marked in our religious work, which should serve as a gauge of progress in general. The attendance at our church service shows an increase of about sixteen a month over the previous year. In the Sunday School there has also been an upward trend in attendance, the average for the fall months being one hundred and ten.

The Young People's Society, after over two years of development, has more than doubled its membership, and has shown marked improvement in many respects, particularly as to general deportment and religious interest. This society has commended itself to leaders of the Young People's Union and to others, as an active and progressive group of young people of fine moral and spiritual calibre.

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

A large part of our work has to do with weekly activities representing all ages. To little children, these hours of play and recreation spent in bright and cheerful surroundings, mean much. Classes, also, are provided in such useful handicrafts as sewing for girls and woodwork for boys. Altogether, these play periods and classes serve as a means of discipline and character development for the children, as well as a source of magnetic interest, through which they are drawn into the inner circle of the Christian life.

For adults, too, the various societies, the White Shield Club, the Men's Club and the Women's Sewing Circle, satisfy the need of recreation and of social life. Many happy hours are spent here as parents and others break away for awhile from the cares and responsibilities of life. It is through these societies, moreover, that many of our members find an outlet for service; and theirs is no small contribution to the general work and support of the institution.

We cannot too strongly emphasize our appreciation of the voluntary assistance rendered. The volunteer workers, including Sunday School teachers, and all other helpers from within and without the institution, have greatly increased and enriched the work. There are, too, many generous friends, some unseen, who contribute gifts of money and in kind, and others, also, who in different ways bring happiness and comfort to those in need.

SUMMER CAMP

We are fortunate in being able to transfer our work for the summer months to a beautiful and commodious camping site near St. Andrew's East, and about fifty miles from Montreal.

Our camp programme is truly representative of all departments of our work, as well as of all ages of our people. Perhaps one of the greatest and most appreciated services is that given to a number of elderly and decrepit folk, for whose comfort

special provision is made. These otherwise would have no opportunity of enjoying the rest, happiness and other benefits that belong to camp life.

The campers are always grateful for the privilege of worshipping in the Presbyterian Church at St. Andrew's East. This benefit adds greatly to the religious part of the camp programme, and has indeed come to be thought of as an integral part of our life at camp.

Through the combined efforts of many friends contributing in money, in gifts or in acts of service, much has been done to build up, in this district, a Christian community centre with the church at its head. Whatever may be lacking in its external walls, it may truly be said that the church is well founded in the hearts of the people. The increasing response to all the religious services of the institution, coupled with the testimony of many, bears evidence that our members have realized, even in the midst of much privation, that their greatest need is of a spiritual nature.

Respectfully submitted,

W. HAROLD BROWN.

GEORGE H. DONALD, D.D.,
Chairman.

DAVID SCOTT, M.A., B.D.,
Vice-Chairman.

THE PRESBYTERIAN HOME FOR GIRLS, 1937

Another year with its toll of happiness and sorrow, failures perhaps, but also success and great achievements won, has drawn to a close, and we who submit this report marvel at the many ways in which our Father's abiding love has been made known to us in the months that have passed, and in this year that is before us, we dedicate ourselves anew in His service.

That we might more clearly depict the work of the Presbyterian Home in its care of the forty-five girls and thirty-three babies to whom it has been our privilege to help, may we present a picture of a very normal home life? The girls ranging in years from fifteen to twenty-five, may be seen working in the garden. Others are happily engaged sewing by hand and machine. In the kitchen, cooking and baking are in progress, while in the nursery, under careful supervision, the girls are taught the proper care of their babies. In short, a thorough training in the essentials of domestic efficiency enables them to find steady employment after leaving the Home.

In the foreground of the picture, and the axis on which our daily life revolves, is the spiritual welfare of our family. Prayers are held daily, and by the earnest study of His Word, and by a sympathetic understanding of the individual need, strive to rekindle that Divine spark which for a time has been dimmed, into a steady glow for the Saviour.

We cannot close our report without paying tribute to the late Dr. Stenhouse who for many years had been associated with our work. Dr. Stenhouse was a truly Christian gentleman, whose kindliness, sympathy and ready response to those in need, endeared him to all with whom he came into contact and the memory of this noble friend will remain with us as an inspiration in the years that lie before us.

Respectfully submitted,

MYRTLE MCKINNON,
Superintendent.

NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE, HAMILTON

It is the boast of Hamiltonians that in the Neighbourhood House there goes on as fine a piece of Christian Social activity as in any institution in Canada. The staff is made up of two full-time deaconesses, Miss Marie Sloan, in charge, and Miss Roberta Smith, whose salaries are paid by the Home Mission Board. We have also a part-time Boys' Worker, an assistant for the play-school, two assistants for the Daily Vacation Bible School, paid by the local Ladies' Board. This latter group has rendered fine practical, financial, and advisory service.

To give the Church at large some small idea of the splendid work done, I quote from the Annual Report.

ACTIVITIES (REGULAR)

Sunday School, the part-time boys' worker acting as volunteer superintendent; play-school five mornings a week for pre-school age children; Saturday morning playtime for children of any age; one evening and four daytime clubs for girls; sewing class for girls; three evening clubs for boys; two women's clubs; district visiting.

OCCASIONAL

Vacation Bible School during July; Concerts and Parties; Picnics and Hikes.

ATTENDANCE

Total Attendance for year of eleven months	23,974
Average Monthly Attendance	2,179
Total Attendance at Vacation Bible School	646
Average Daily Attendance at same	43

MEMBERSHIP

Total Membership during year	380
Membership at end of year	260

NATIONALITIES—PERCENTAGE OF MEMBERSHIP

Hungarian, 20.8; Canadian (mostly of foreign descent) 13.8; Ukrainian, 10.7; Polish, 9.8; Serbian, 8.5; English, 7.5; Croatian, 6.0; Scotch, 4.5; Italian, 4.0; Jugo-Slav, 3.7; Unknown, 3.7; German, 2.4; Roumanian, 1.7; Irish, 2 members; Swedish, 2 members; Bohemian, Russian, Czecho-Slovakian, Bulgarian, Finnish, 1 member each.

DENOMINATIONAL CONNECTION—PERCENTAGE OF MEMBERSHIP

Roman Catholic, 33.6; Protestant, 13.0; Presbyterian, 12.5; Greek Orthodox, 8.3; Gospel Tabernacles, 6.4; Unknown, 6.4; Neighbourhood House Sunday School, only church connection, 5.3; Anglican, 5.0; No Church, 4.0; United, 2.4; Greek Catholic, 1.0; Baptist, 3 members; Lutheran, 2 members; Jehovah's Witnesses, 1 member.

C. L. COWAN,
Home Mission Convener.

LANTERN SLIDE REPORT FOR 1937

That education through the eye and ear regarding the missionary enterprise of the church continues is evidenced by reports from the depots in all parts of the Dominion.

Ontario.—211 showings—by Sunday Schools, Auxiliaries, Fireside Groups, Young People's Societies, Summer Camps; use limited in autumn by the epidemic.

Maritimes.—18 showings; lack of lanterns limits use.

Quebec.—57 showings; increase of 11.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan.—17 sets sent out, each shown several times; Pioneers, Little Brown Brother and Budget sets most often used. La Pas used theirs 8 times.

Alberta.—15 sets—a decrease. "Pioneers" of greatest interest as depicting Peace River District.

British Columbia.—No number reported but "slides in great demand." "Pioneers" first in use, "India" next.

Thus 318 showings from five depots are definitely reported — besides British Columbia's. These have been shown at Rallies, and at almost every type of meeting held in our church. Conveners of Home and Foreign Committees of Presbyteries have found it helpful to Budget givings to let it be known these sets are obtainable free, for transportation only.

During the year Miss Florence Lang, B.A., who had given such faithful service, undertook another department of work, and was replaced by Mrs. Norman D. MacEachern, who has entered upon her task with enthusiasm and painstaking care. The older sets are in process of revision. The Lecture on Manchuria has been revamped and rewritten. Other new sets are planned, and the lengthy process of obtaining pictures and story is under way. In future sets a print of the slide is to be placed beside its part of the lecture material. This will facilitate the lecturer's preparation.

The Curators in each Synod or Province deserve a word of appreciation as they take charge of the exacting task of fulfilling requests and sending out lecture boxes.

Expense continues to be shared by the Board of Missions, the Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies and the Women's Missionary Society. The latter in addition have for many years provided free office space for storage of negatives, records, and assembling sets. Such space is costly and has never yet been a charge on the estimate, which is one reason the total expense is this year so low—$12.95.

The Committee would wish that this service of free slides be made more widely known.

Respectfully submitted,

M. C. McKERROLL,
Secretary.

W. M. KANNAWIN,
Convener.

FOREIGN MISSION REPORTS

Canadian Presbyterian Mission in Manchuria

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1937

We are still here. We have not evacuated nor evaporated. This is a fact worthy of note for 1937—a year which is making new history in the Orient. "The Changeless East"—this expression seems strangely out of date. The man who coined it should "Stop! Look! and Listen!" while the stream-lined events go rushing past us now! "Wars and rumours of wars", blood-shed and distress. How we long for the reign of the Prince of Peace, when the nations shall not "learn war any more". To this great end we trust our work is tending. For we are still here in our appointed places, in Manchuria, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson in Szepingkai as usual and Mr. and Mrs. Davis in Taonan. We make special mention of this because we fear some of our friends may feel mystified as to where to find us in the whirlpool of events in the Orient. We are nowhere near the vortex—nor likely to be sucked under—nor are we swirling around in evacuation eddies as many farther south—but rather, as it were, quietly fishing in an undisturbed lagoon.

NEW HOMES — AN APPRECIATION

Mrs. Johnson writes:—"Each month last winter we expected our new houses to be ready for occupation, but it was not till the end of April that we were finally able to move. They were worth waiting for, however, and no doubt appreciated even more because of the length of time spent in less pleasant surroundings.

"The new houses, unlike most mission houses, do not stand out as large mansions towering above tiny native dwellings. There are many Japanese houses in the neighborhood that also have two storeys, and are not unlike many of our western homes in outside appearance. Being on the edge of town, the air is far cleaner than the air we had last year—living on one of the busiest and dustiest streets of the town. We are away from unpleasant, loud noises, and we are within sight of one of the town parks.

"We have ample space inside our homes, and the plumbing facilities are quite modern and far superior to the minus drains, minus hot water system of former years. A small garden is a great asset, not only from the point of view of having a few flowers and perhaps tomato plants, but in providing a safe play-place for children. I doubt if a day goes by that we do not audibly express or silently feel deep gratitude to all who made our pleasant homes possible."

BIBLE TRAINING CLASS FOR MEN

This year, the third in the annual series, our Men's Training Class was, for the first time, held in Taonan. Mr. Davis had charge, and the extra buildings adjacent to the Davis's residence, obtainable for a very small rental, proved quite commodious for the work. Thirty-nine apprentice preachers were enrolled and 9 laymen, besides many local Christians listening in. There were four Bible Subjects each day, with a half hour singing lesson at the close of each half day; which, by the way, developed a very fine four-part chorus, handsomely presenting a fine old Hymn in Chinese at Taonan's Great Harvest Home Festival, occurring during the progress of the class.

Pastor Chang gave a course in Ezekiel, venerable Pastor Tang in Hebrews,—Pastor Wang who belongs to the Local Church in Szepingkai could not get away for the whole six weeks, so he came for three weeks and gave two periods a day in Joshua. Then Mr. Davis took the remaining three weeks with two periods a day in Romans.

The health and general spirit of the Class were unusually good this year. Not only Pastor Chiang's energetic work as general proctor contributed to this, but the

daily walk of almost two miles each way across the city to our church by students and teachers for sermon-drill and evening prayer-meeting, did much to keep everybody in good health mentally and physically. These sermons specially prepared by the student preachers were publicly presented, and listened to with interest by the Church members,—strenuous but constructive criticisms being reserved for the next day in another private room, thus allowing the best efforts of the preachers to lead up unmarred to the general prayer-meeting, which closed the day and was entered into by local Christians as well as students. The students were very keen in taking their written examinations and made unusually good marks. We feel it was the best of these classes so far. Our Evangelists for whom this course is arranged showed marked advance in Bible knowledge and spiritual life, for which we thank God and take courage in continuing our program of theological training.

Training Class for Women

Mrs. Davis writes:— "The Women's Short Term Class held in the spring in Taonan was also felt to be the best yet. About fifty women registered for the six weeks' study. These came from various places and various walks of life. We try to grade them and meet the need of each as far as possible. After six weeks of Christian fellowship and strenuous study, they return to their homes better prepared as Christian witnesses. Miss Hope Chiang and Miss Liu, both graduates of the Kiang Wan, Shanghai, Bible Seminary, proved most efficient teachers. Pastor Liu of Taonan ably assisted us by taking a period in practice preaching each day for the most advanced class. Pastor Chiang and Mr. and Mrs. Davis also took classes.

"The following illustrates one of the purposes of our Class. 'Miss Li has been such a help in the women's work since she came back from the Class this spring,' said Evangelist Ting of Liu Hu. 'She helps both in teaching Christian women and in visiting and giving the Gospel Message to the heathen. She and her mother have been out and sometimes addressed large groups of interested women.' Liu Hu is a newly opened place, rather remote, with no Bible Woman."

Sunday Schools

Mrs. Davis writes:— "We are so thankful that at last the Sunday School problem is seriously gripping a few leaders. For two previous years Deacon Wang had attended the two months' annual class for Laymen in connection with the Bible School in Yingkuo. While there he saw and was much impressed with the model Sunday School which is carried on with the help of the Bible School students. It is quite up to date—each class having its own flag, teachers and scholars also wearing arm-bands of their class colors. Little individual stools are also a feature. At the time of dividing into classes, each scholar picks up his or her stool and each class gathers around its teacher in a nice little circle in its appointed place. Well of course, in Canada this is nothing new—but out here it is new. Deacon Wang came back to Taonan and began agitating for a better Sunday School and for room for the Primary Department. So there is now a graded Sunday School, 5 classes for boys and 5 for girls. The adults have since been divided into classes on a better basis than before. There are now 6 classes for men and 6 for women. In all, over 20 classes in Taonan study the International Sunday School lesson each Sunday before the morning Church Service. We rejoice in this step of progress which we feel is a most wholesome advance.

"All the Students of the Short Term Classes, both men's and women's were shown the Taonan Model Sunday School, and were exhorted to return to their Churches and see what they could do about better Sunday Schools in their respective places. It did not always work. One place the students returned and impressed the Pastor with the idea of division into several classes. The Improved Sunday School was going full force when some of the brethren arrived for Church. 'What is all this about?', they demanded, 'Such a racket!—all talking at once!—if you are going to have this kind of a Sunday School, we are *not* coming to Church at all.' So, for the time being, the Sunday School reverted to type—the one class type—except that the children had a class out in the yard. By way of contrast,—when the Taonan church was asked for an offering of $40.00 to pay for the cute little stools, their enthusiasm ran it up to over the $50.00 mark.

"These extra arrangements for Primary Departments of the Sunday Schools also provide for Children's Church conducted at the same time as the regular Sunday Morning Service, which greatly increases the quietness of the adult Worship and the benefits received by the children in their own Church Service."

Mrs. Johnson writes:— "In November scholars under 13 years of age were sent to a freshly painted and prepared room where they were put into separate classes. The first Sunday I looked in to find four classes with ten youngsters in each, and a more orderly Sunday School I have never seen anywhere. The next Sunday there were five classes, and each group had a banner of different color, the class members each wearing an arm band of his class color. An able superintendent of this younger group has been found in an energetic Bible woman lately come to Szepingkai."

Christmas Carolling

"In December the classes were all busy preparing for the Christmas entertainment, and Christmas Eve over thirty of the youngsters sang Christmas carols at the homes of the Chinese, Korean and two Japanese pastors, as well as at the Canadian missionary's home. It was a joy and blessing to hear, 'Holy Night', sung in Chinese, ring out across the cold night air. This was probably the first time young carolers had gone forth to sing the good tidings in our part of Manchuria—a new band added to hundreds of similar groups all over the world."

Evangelistic Work

As from the beginning with the founders of our Mission the "Evangelistic" is still the fountain-head of our work. There is space for but a few instances:—

Mr. and Mrs. Lin, accompanied by his sister, visited most of our Churches, for several days each, of special meetings. Many new lives have been reached with the Gospel Message, and Christians searched and quickened and refreshed by their ministry. Mr. Lin and his party are very whole-hearted in their devotion to the work.

Deacon Wang—a layman—returned recently from a rather extensive evangelistic trip. He went with the special object of going about amongst his relatives and friends where their old family homestead used to be, mostly ignorant of the Gospel. Some places along the way he found groups of Christians. In giving his report, again and again he said almost involuntarily,— "After I had given the Gospel Message, my heart was filled with a great and unusual joy." In addition to the many moved in a general way by the Message, he reckoned during the trip 33 had been definitely converted, showing a real repentance and change of heart.

Four of our young women have been formed into an Evangelistic Band, and we hear good reports of their work. They are Miss Hope Chiang and Miss Liu, graduates of the Women's Bible Seminary, Shanghai, and the two Chang Sisters, one of whom has just graduated from Peiling Bible School in Yingkou, the other home for her winter holidays from her course in the Lutheran Bible School in Tsitsihar. It is most gratifying to have our young women who go so far afield to study, thus returning to our work.

The Sun family, wealthy and influential, about two months ago became concerned about religion. The Business Manager employed by the family was a man of ability and also an ardent Buddhist. He suggested that the family could not do better than get in a professional Buddhist to instruct them more fully in that religion and perform ceremonies by which their sins might be remitted. He knew just the right man for the job and they agreed to give him $60.00 for a few days' services.

But Dr. Liu, for some years back a volunteer preacher, was traveling about those parts at the time doing evangelistic work. Some one managed to get him in touch with this family just the day before the Buddhist teacher was due. The Gospel from Dr. Liu's lips prevailed in the hearts of the head of the clan and of their erstwhile Buddhist Business Manager: and already about thirty of the hundred odd members of the clan have turned to Christ. The Buddhist Teacher, hearing and seeing the truth of God working amongst them, voluntarily withdrew from his $60.00 engagement.

There is a nice little school-house in this country settlement—just right for holding Church Services. We trust a year hence to be able to report regular work opened and a goodly number of baptisms here. And so the work grows.

Mongolian Work

Our "First Mongol Church", as expressed in last year's report has materialized. The Mongolian Evangelist, Mr. Chen with his wife and daughter who take active part with him in the work are now established here. Mrs. Shang, still supported by the fund started by the Women's Class, 1936, is planning to spend time here in helping the Mongol women. Others have visited the place to observe and help in the work.

Wish you could have a complete stenographic report of the Mongolian Missionary Society Meeting held at the close of the Men's Class. Mr. Li Ta Ku Toa was on the program. Mongolian Able Chang (a Chinese called of God, to die, if need be, for the evangelization of the Mongolians) gave a masterly survey of the proposition as a whole, citing what little is being done, even in distant parts. It was thrilling to hear of a Mongolian convert dropping into one of our chapels in Taonan from Halong Osso, over two thousand li away, where a Swedish Mission opened up work for the Mongols several decades ago.

Two other vital sparks in our Mongolian work for the year:—

A ten year old Mongolian Princess carefully trained in her own home by a Danish missionary lady, while the mother was away taking a course in a Bible School; these two, princess and mother passed through Taonan this summer on their way to a point far within Mongolian territory where the mother's brother-in-law is in official position and where missionaries could not now go. Taonan is their jumping-off-place. The mother's farewell request was:— "Pray for us that we may let our light shine in the midst of that darkness."

And now just at the end of the year comes a call from White Wolf Valley for Gospel work,—a place in Mongolian territory which has just got a railway station and where thousands, including many Chinese, are being employed in cutting the immense supplies of timber on those mountain sides. There are not only financial difficulties in the way, but prayer can prevail. Will you not join us in this?

Mongolian Notes

It is zero weather. Two young men have just started out for a twenty day trip among the Mongols. They took $3.00 between them for expenses along the way. They have taken Mongolian illustrated tracts and some pictures of the life of Christ in their hands and the great glad message of the Gospel in their hearts. It is cold weather to start out not knowing where you will lay your head from night to night. There are no wayside inns to stay in. They depend on invitations to stay in homes of the Mongolians. In return for the hospitality they can make some slight present—sometimes a needle-case sent by some of our little helpers in Canada thus finds its way into a Mongol home, to the delight of the mother and daughter.

A blind Mongol woman has just recently received the grace of God unto salvation, in a most marked manner. Miss Chiang, one of our own girls, home from Bible Seminary, brings the story from up north. This Mongol woman has had a miracle

wrought within, which makes her continually pray for the conversion of her own people the Mongolians. She has a little girl lead her around while she testifies to them of God's saving grace. As Miss Chiang left the place, the Mongol women clung to her weeping—loath to part with the one who had brought them the word of salvation.

Taonan Church

This marks the first year in which our Taonan church has met all its foundation obligations, for pastor, property and running expenses. The Mission has been going half and half with them on one street chapel rent and running expenses, and on two promising apprentice preachers to care for street-chapels. The Church took up its financial obligations for the year with fear and trembling,—lest they should not have enough for their pastor on top of all other expenses. But they had a most delightful Harvest Home Festival in October, and the glad offerings of all on that occasion so swelled their resources that they end the year with a good surplus. But new needs are arising,—enlarged space for the graded Sunday School and Children's Church, and a bit farther in the distance a new church building, etc., etc. Their interest in active participation in evangelistic work in the country-side around Taonan is also most encouraging.

Progress in Church Organization

Mr. Johnson writes of the Szepingkai District:—

"The organization of the church is gradually advancing, with larger responsibility being taken by the Chinese pastors and by the Chinese Council. This body is the beginning of what will eventually be a Presbytery. It is composed of all the pastors in the district, each of whom is a kind of superintendent with the oversight of from 5 to 14 out-stations that have only unordained workers. This year for the first time it included one elder from each pastoral district. Although the members are not expert in parliamentary method they make some advance each year. The most important and difficult work of this Council is the locating and moving of workers. This year two actions were taken which should make the individual churches more conscious of their part in this presbytery-to-be. The Council decided to send a copy of its minutes to each of the churches. And it decided to make each pastoral district responsible for the traveling expenses to Council of its representative elder by levying a fee from all churches according to their membership, at a fixed amount per member. Advances in organization mark real advances in the Chinese church, for one of the traditional weaknesses of Chinese life is its unwillingness to acknowledge obligations to any group beyond the family connection."

The Presbytery-to-be in the Taonan end of the field is also in operation.

Survey of Workers

Our Mission supports a large number of Chinese preachers and Bible Women. Mr. Johnson, in order to have a record of their qualifications along some lines, for guidance in planning their future training, has just completed a survey. He writes:— "This survey had special reference to two subjects,—one, the educational standing of workers, the other, their Christian background. Altogether 76 replied. A few of these are supported by local churches, but the large majority are Mission workers. The showing of the questionnaire:—

I. As to educational advantages:—

Theological graduates	10
Bible School graduates	9
High School graduates	2
Lower High School graduates	7
Primary School graduates (High School Entrance)	14
Not up to High School entrance standard	28

II. As to how long they have been Christians:—

Baptised as children	8
Baptised 20 or more years ago	10
Baptised from 10 - 19 years ago	9
Baptised from 5 - 9 years ago	24
Baptised from 3 - 4 years ago	25

"In assessing the significance of these figures one must remember a number of factors. Our Mission is only ten years old. The majority of our Christians are converts of the last few years. In all missions the general level of evangelists is low. Trained workers are difficult to secure. Our Mission has no educational work of its own, and no organic relations with the educational work of other Missions in Manchuria.

"Despite their limited advantages many of our workers are carrying on aggressive work with energy and courage in the face of difficult situations. If we are to build a well-developed, strong, self-supporting church in this part of Manchuria we will have to pursue with vigour the policy of raising the general standard of our workers."

This policy has already found expression in our annual short term Training Classes, in employing the best ordained Pastors obtainable to train our apprentice preachers on the stations and in these short term classes, by sending apprentice preachers, after probation, to existing Bible Schools and Theological Seminaries, when funds became short, by encouraging them to go as many of them have done, at their own expense to these institutions, and by using the material, if possible, when they graduated, also by replacing the less promising preachers as they drop out by the way with Bible School and Theological Seminary graduates, as satisfactory ones are available. Still we must press forward along these lines. Both the Mission and the rising indigenous churches have high ideals for their pastors. Self-support, self-administration, native presbyteries, and a well trained ministry are all vitally inter-related. Prospects are as bright as the promises of God.

Women Missionaries and Women's Ministries

Mrs. Davis

We have missed Mrs. Reoch this past year, and hope nothing will prevent her getting back to the field with her husband this spring. We are also looking forward with great anticipation for the new ladies, Miss Gibbs and Mrs. Gehman, to arrive before another year passes, though "rumors of wars" have deterred their getting out this past year, as we had so much hoped they would.

Mrs. Johnson has precious responsibilities with little Anne and her home ministries, but puts in much time also in language study, and is always happy to get out amongst the women of this land. She once said to me:—"I feel happiest when with the Manchurian women." The attraction is mutual. It was lovely to have her visit our annual central class for the women leaders of our whole field in Taonan in the spring, and also the local class in Tung Liao in the autumn.

Stepping off the train at the latter place in the evening twilight, she found that her bedding would not arrive till next day. Nothing daunted, Mrs. Johnson accepted graciously the bedding loaned by the local Christians—mounted the warm brick bed and passed the night in real Manchurian fashion. She proved most adjustable to the camp life of the Class and entered into the "sports" with the students to their great delight. Also in a special class with them she gave a lot of good advice along hygienic lines and as to the care of children,—which, if followed, all will be on the road to better times.

Bible Women's Work Among Women

A dear woman said not long ago:—"Before I became a Christian, I felt so *sad* and *old*, but since I have believed in Christ, I feel so different, so full of energy and joy. A Bible Woman taught me to sing:—'At the cross of Jesus, I cast my burden down, All tears He wiped away'." She sang it over again with dewy eyes as she thought of all it had meant to her.

Extracts from a letter from a Bible Woman in the Southern end of our Field:—

"A man and wife over sixty, who had been idol devotees for over thirty years, upon hearing the Gospel twice, cast away their idols.

"A woman who was very sorrowful and troubled over the death of her son, had a lot of idols in her home, but could get no comfort. Friends persuaded her to come and listen to the Gospel. She heard *once* and believed. She brought her idols and her books and threw them into the stove in the chapel.

"In fact, so many brought their idols and threw them into the stove, that the chapel heating stove seemed like to become a smelting pot as the idols melted."

This Bible Woman continues in her letter:—"There is much more to tell, but I have not time to write all, I will tell you more when I return."

I feel like saying the same thing to the friends in Canada—our furlough comes this new year, leaving in June (D.V.).

Christian Literature

Because of disturbed conditions, it is becoming more and more difficult to get our supplies from Shanghai and other parts of China. To meet the need of the Manchurian Missions the British and Foreign Bible Society is now printing all their scriptures for Manchuria in Mukden. Sunday School supplies have just begun to be published in Mukden. In one or two places printers, members of our mission have been printing Catechisms for the use of our own churches at very moderate prices.

Elder Liu who has a printing shop in Tung Liao has used much heart and patience in reproducing some of Mrs. Davis's illustrated tracts and posters, and printing them at low cost for evangelistic work and Bible classes. A much more pretentious printing establishment in Taonan—for a consideration—is also doing its best to produce the kind of illustrated leaflets we want. Mrs. Davis designs the things for them to print. She has just ordered a supply for the New Year campaigns,—90,000 picture tracts—to be sent around to all our stations and groups, large and small. The paper of these leaflets is of various bright colors—to catch the eye during the Lunar New Year Holidays—for the "ko-nien" is a colorful season.

Special Funds

The majority of our Pastors, Evangelists and Bible Women are supported by the Goforth Evangelistic Funds. During the year this account has been able to turn into the Mission Treasury $12,000, Manchurian currency. October and November seemed barren months. Our friends may have thought we had evacuated or feared that because of disturbed conditions their cheques would not reach us. But God had sent a special legacy in the summer through the W.M.S. which tided us over, and before the end of the year and on into January the income of the G.E.F.A. has again blessedly increased to cover monthly needs as they come along.

"God moves in a mysterious way His wonders to perform"—(the death of one of His saints).

"He plants His foot-steps in the sea"—(of trouble).

"And rides upon the storm"—(of battle).

Again we thank the W.M.S. for their grant of Canadian $400.00 toward the support of Bible Women and for the expenses of the Women's Short Term Class and its follow up work. Also for their usual grant of Canadian $100.00, and an extra donation through them of Canadian $50.00 both toward the supply of Christian Literature, which is a most essential Hand-maid of our work.

New Places Opened

New names on our list of stations as compared with last year are seven. Each has its story. We can not go into all details. We thank God for seven new light-houses set up.

1. Pao Men Valley. Without anything for the Chinese Statistical Table last year, appears again this year with 14 baptisms.

2. Ha La Hei. Our new Mongolian Station already referred to. 9 baptisms. $220.00 in local offerings.

3. Pien Chao. With a tiny nucleus of believers, also has 3 baptisms to report and $25.00 in offerings.

4. Si Ping Chen. An active church for some years, heretofore reported under Ma Chia Kou, this year built their own new chapel and worker's residence, and now appears for the first time under its own heading. Local offerings, $700.00.

5. She Lih Chan. A new railway sometimes cuts strange capers with a Manchurian country-side. In the eastern part of our field the railway cut across about ten miles from an old county-seat, which was forthwith moved to the nearest station, and the old county-town where we had a chapel was completely abandoned. An earnest Christian of wealth had to move out with the rest. His homestead was nearer She Lih Chan, the next station to that which had become the county-seat. So he moved the lumber of his deserted city houses (abandoned the mud walls thereof) to She Lih Chan. In building anew in this new town he reserved spaces for a chapel and preacher's residence. So a new Railway, a new station, a new town has a new chapel and six newly baptized members—may they indeed be new creatures in Christ Jesus.

6. Hsiao Shuang Cheng Pu. Mr. Johnson writes:—"A number of Christians and inquirers here wanted a chapel and asked Pastor Su of Kung Chu Ling to help them. He raised some funds among them and from some of the churches in his district, found a young preacher, rented a suitable small building and a few weeks ago baptized 20 adults and 3 children as the first members of that church."

7. Ta Lin Chan. Also in the southern end of our field. The opening of this chapel is unique in our annals. Ta Lin Chan is the big half-way town and railway station between Chen Chia Tun and Tung Liao and never has had a chapel, both the latter cities having churches for some years now. Tung Liao, besides its church compound had a Street Preaching Chapel. The Mission had no funds or men to send to Ta Lin Chan, so Pastor and people in Tung Liao conceived the idea of giving their Street Preaching Chapel and one of their men to run it, to Ta Lin Chan. Tung Liao misses its Street Chapel sorely, but has given a shining example of self-sacrifice for the sake of others in gross darkness. Already eight in this new place have accepted Jesus as the Light of the World and been baptized.

Mr. Johnson writes: —"There is unlimited opportunity for opening new work when we have the workers to do it. In the Szepingkai district this year five communities have offered to rent and equip a small preaching chapel if the Mission will send them a worker. But funds do not allow our taking on new responsibilities, and our present churches are not in undue haste to assume their own support and release mission funds for new work, so we have not added many new preaching stations.

"Although new preaching stations can not always be opened as soon as the call comes, the work is not limited to the towns that have chapels. Many of our preachers do considerable work in surrounding villages. Among nine new Christians recently baptized at Fan Chia Tun were three members of the Li family from a village two miles to the north, and a druggist, Mr. Chu, from a town some miles to the east. The young preacher at Fan Chia Tun frequently visits these adjacent communities, and is urging the believers and those interested in the Christian message to have regular meetings for prayer and Bible reading. In this way foundations are laid for new Christian churches and the message of Christ is carried out in ever widening circles."

Statistics for the Year 1937

Number of Baptisms during the year	874
Church Membership at end of year	3,168
Total Offerings for year	$13,141.54
New places opened during year	7
Centres of work now open, in all	51
Men Workers	62
Women Workers	18
Total number of workers	80

An Artist's Contribution

A Christmas gift has just come from Mr. Reoch,—Mrs. Goforth's book, fresh from the press. Mrs. Goforth gave up an artist's ambition, to follow and serve with her missionary Hero. Perhaps her last and certainly a lasting and immeasurable ministry to Manchuria is this artist's picture of a wonderful life. May it stir to the depths the church in the home-lands! It must be given in their own language to the church in China and Manchuria.

In behalf of the Manchurian Field Council,

Respectfully submitted and compiled by,

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Report of the Formosa Mission

1937

There is little need to call attention to the fact that this year has been unusual, and its problems many. The number of missionaries on the staff, too, has been down to its lowest point, because several were away in Tokyo studying Japanese, while others were at home on furlough. Miss Ramsay returned from Tokyo in September, after a year of study, and Miss Douglas is expected to return in April. Miss Heighton is still in Tokyo, and Miss Burdick and Miss Weir have joined her there in order to continue their study of the Japanese language.

Dr. and Mrs. Stevens, Dr. and Mrs. Gushue-Taylor, Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Wilkie, Miss Taylor and Miss Hermanson have all been on furlough. Because of the unsettled political conditions in the Orient, and because of financial stringency, it was learned that Rev. and Mrs. Wilkie would not return after furlough.

On the field at present there remains in Taihoku, Dr. and Mrs. Little, and Miss Chisholm, who are in the Mackay Memorial Hospital, Miss Ramsay, Mr. and Mrs. MacMillan; in Tansui, Mr. and Mrs. Mackay, Miss Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Dickson. During the absence of Dr. and Mrs. Gushue-Taylor, Mrs. Gauld and Miss Gauld have taken charge of The Happy Mount Leprosy Colony.

Missionaries, released from the heavy tax upon their time that the management of the schools formerly imposed, have had time to seek out and promote evangelistic work in their own individual way. And while doors through which evangelistic work used to be done are temporarily closed, other avenues of approach have been found. Perhaps no year of the last decade has had so many visits from missionaries to churches and stations all over the field as the year just past. Not only have the churches benefited thereby, but also the missionaries have found a closer, warmer touch with the people of the church and their problems.

Insistence upon the use of the Japanese language has been greatly increased to the gradual exclusion of the Formosan language, and many Sunday Schools are now conducted in Japanese, as the children coming from public school are familiar with that language. However, older Christians in many places still do not have enough education to understand sermons in Japanese. All the missionaries on the field

devote some time to the study of the Japanese language as it is, without doubt, of extreme importance now, not only to the personal equipment of the missionary, but also to the standing of Christianity in Formosa.

The Christian Church in Formosa, while passing through this difficult time of crisis, has had some compensation in that the spiritual life of the Christians has often been deepened, and troubled hearts have seemed to hunger more than ever to hear of the sureties of God.

The Formosan Church

The work of the native church has gone on as usual during the year, although somewhat restricted in its activities. Due to present circumstances, the church has confined its evangelism largely to personal work rather than public meetings. Because of the fact that in some places the worship of idols and other heathen practices are being officially discouraged, there is a better opportunity for the Christian message, and some of the churches have had an unusually large number of baptisms during the year.

There is a total of seventy-eight churches and preaching stations, twenty of which are financially self-supporting. Because of reduced financial income from Canada, it became necessary to ask eight members of the preaching staff to resign, and their churches are to be supplied by preachers from neighboring stations.

Evangelism

Comparatively free for evangelistic work at present are Mr. and Mrs. Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. MacMillan.

During the past year, most of the out-stations have been visited. Meetings were held in the churches and in the homes of the Christians. At many of these homes, non-Christian neighbors were invited in to attend the meetings, and many seemed to be interested in the Gospel.

Sometimes meetings are held out-of-doors in the streets. At one place, a store-keeper, a fine Christian man, had a large poster put up in front of his shop announcing the meeting, and that evening Mr. Mackay addressed the crowd in the streets twice, the preacher once, and finally Mrs. Mackay spoke to the women, inasmuch as the crowd showed no disposition to disperse, but wanted to hear more.

Particularly successful work has been accomplished by Mr. Mackay in the carrying out of his long-cherished desire to seek the scattered Pepoan tribe who were once Christians, and to bring them back to the church. Due to his efforts, many Pepoan people have given up their idols once more, and the church attendance in one place has more than tripled as a result of several Pepoan families returning. Recently, thirty adults and nine children were baptized there, and four joined the church. At the same station, the young men of the town, all non-Christian, asked him to address them, and a series of three meetings were held especially for them. Then, the men from a lumber camp nearby, asked him to come and speak there, and he spoke to a packed hall of eager listeners. Mr. Mackay has visited fifty-five stations and has often stayed several weeks in one place, visiting the Christians and doing evangelistic work.

Mrs. Mackay has accompanied her husband on many of his trips to the country, and besides this, she has many projects of her own, such as the Bible Memorizing Scheme, assisting Presbytery's Sunday School Committee with Daily Vacation Bible School programmes, and preparation of Quarterly Mission Studies for the Formosan W.M.S.

Mr. MacMillan has had Bible Study Groups in several districts in the field, where ministers and others meet regularly, often monthly. He has assisted with the work of The Happy Mount Leprosy Colony, and has had oversight of the churches assigned to him by Presbytery. He has had several groups of students meeting for Bible Study in Taihoku, and has continued a Bible Study Group of students from

our former Tansui Middle School. He has visited about thirty-eight churches during the year.

Mrs. MacMillan has begun the work of Young Girls' Groups. For several months she had Leaders' Meeting monthly, preparing leaders for these groups. For the stations farther afield, she prepared and sent the programmes every month. Other groups which she has promoted included a Ministers' Wives' Bible Class, and a group which undertakes the study of the Bible in Japanese.

This year the Mission Council divided the field, and allotted churches for visitation to each missionary, so that the work of assistance might be more systematically done. Missionaries, who are kept in during the week by duties in schools or hospital, try to go out in the country week-ends and during vacation.

Dr. Little has alternated with members of his hospital staff in going to nearby churches on Sundays to visit and "follow-up" patients who have been in the Mackay Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Dickson, aside from the Theological College, is Moderator of seven churches assigned to him by Presbytery, and has visited thirty-five churches during the year.

Miss Ramsay, although still continuing her study of Japanese, carries on some evangelistic work in Taihoku.

Mrs. Koa does visitation work and helps with Women's Meetings especially in the churches in the Taihoku district.

Several of the missionaries have made the trip to the far East Coast churches this year,—Miss Burdick, Miss Hermanson, Mr. Dickson, Mr. Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. MacMillan.

The Three Year Movement

During the Minister's Conference of 1934 in Tansui, fervent prayer was offered that the church in North Formosa receive baptism of the Holy Spirit and be led into a new endeavour for Christ. In 1935 this took the form of a plan for a Three-Year Movement, beginning January 1st, 1936, and ending December 31st, 1938.

The first year was one of organization and getting people accustomed to the movements, ideas, and ideals. The second year, just closed, has been one of beginnings of interest among more and more people. Our prayer is that the third year may be one of active advance toward the movement's objectives. We are already planning that this third year of the movement become the first year of a twenty-year movement toward a fully self-supporting, self-governing, self-propagating Christian Church.

Bible Study groups in connection with the Three-Year Movement are held regularly and last most of a day.

Conferences

This year was productive of more Conferences than formerly, partly because missionaries had more time to arrange them, and partly because the work has broadened to take in new phases and to reach people hitherto comparatively overlooked. Not only were Conferences held in connection with our own church work, but during the summer vacation the Japanese Young People were welcomed to use The Theological College and grounds for their conference too.

Preachers' Conference

This year, instead of a Preachers' Conference for our North field, a joint Preachers' Conference for the whole Island was held in Tainan from the 12th to the 20th of July. As a special speaker for this Conference, Dr. Wynn of the American Presbyterian Mission in Korea was invited to explain the Nevius methods as carried on in Korea.

His addresses on these methods proved most stimulating, and he was eagerly questioned during discussion periods regarding the details of this system, which

has been so eminently successful in Korea. As a result of these meetings, Christian workers here are seeking to apply many of these principles to our work in Formosa.

The meeting together of the preachers of the North and South Mission fields was also productive of a spirit of unity which we hope will make possible closer co-operation.

Young People's Conference

The Young People's Conference was held in July in Taichu, and about two hundred and thirty young people gathered from the North and South for seven days of meetings.

A few statements made by the young people themselves may serve to indicate some of the calls for leadership, openings for Christian work in many forms, desire for fellowship with Christians in other lands, and outlook toward the future expressed by this young group.

A young woman, "I had never really studied the Bible as I did at the Conference this year . . . I'd like to go on studying under leaders like we have here."

A young man from a city church, "The more I think of social problems, and the needs of our Formosan people, the more my thoughts turn toward country people . . . the farmers in their hardship, ignorance, and poverty. Why couldn't we have conferences like this for farm people, suited especially to their needs, and in this spirit."

A young Formosan minister, "I'd like it if we could have contact with young men and women of other lands. Even news of their doings and thoughts would be acceptable."

A Formosan student from a University in Tokyo asked the young people in Formosa to pray especially for the four or five thousand Formosan students in schools in Japan, that they might be led to Christ for the sake of the future of the church in Formosa.

Preachers Wives' Conference

The last week in June, the preachers' wives gathered for a Conference of four days. It was held in the Theological College in Tansui.

Mrs. Uemura of Japan, an eminent woman pastor, gave the principal addresses, which were of a high inspirational character.

All the women present earnestly requested that this gathering be made an annual event, inasmuch as it is their one opportunity for fellowship and prayer together, as well as to learn new methods of Christian work.

Bible Study Conference

In July, a three-weeks' Bible Study Conference was held in Tansui which was attended by twenty-seven. It was unique in our history of Conferences in Formosa in that, not only was it entirely self-supporting, but also those who came, gladly paid an additional fee of fifty sen for registration.

Some of the students of the Women's School, after the end of school in June, stayed on and attended the Conference also.

Leaders' Conference

In October a Conference for the leaders of Young Girls' Groups was held in Tansui. Programmes for future use, including Bible Study, to be used in the Young Girls' Groups now organized in many places, were discussed and studied.

Miss Yuki, a Japanese Christian worker from Japan, also gave her contribution in the way of lectures to this Conference.

Three Day Conference for Bible Memorizers

A Three Day Bible Conference for those who have memorized the prescribed number of Bible verses was held in Tansui the first part of December.

Twenty-five attended, representing nine churches, but some of these were invited because of their good work in Daily Vacation Bible Schools, and not because they had memorized the verses.

Evangelistic Bands

Last year, the evangelist, Dr. John Sung, held a series of meetings in Taihoku, and the whole church was blessed. As a result, numerous evangelistic bands were organized for the purpose of witnessing for Christ among the non-believers. At one church, after each Sunday evening service, more than ten bands of three or more each, give brief reports of the week's activities. The chairman calls on each band in turn to speak through a member appointed beforehand to represent them.

The Taihoku bands held a rally this fall, and since then the bands are more enthusiastic than ever.

The Formosan Women's Missionary Society Report

Owing to unusual conditions, it was decided that only the Executive Committee should meet this year instead of the Annual Meeting. During the year interest in the work was well maintained, offerings coming in from forty-five centres. The three elderly Bible women, who work for the society in three different places, all have results to show for their labours. At one country place near Taihoku where a W.M.S. Bible woman has worked for about two years, more than twenty adults have made a profession of faith.

In connection with the Quarterly Missionary Meetings of the Society, Mrs. Koa regularly visits a number of churches. As these studies are taken regarding Missions in widely scattered parts of the world, there are very few women as yet who have the background of geographical and historical knowledge necessary to give them confidence to carry through the programmes unaided. However, leadership along that line is growing.

The oversight of the work of the three Bible women representing the Formosan W.M.S. also largely falls to Mrs. Koa. Only those who have worked among an illiterate group of new hearers of the Gospel can measure the labour required to make intelligent Bible students out of such material.

Bible Women

The work of the Bible women supported by the W.M.S. in Canada has been very encouraging this year. Many churches are eagerly requesting the services of a Bible woman, and are willing to share in the expense. One church pays the entire salary of their Bible worker.

The conditions under which Bible women work vary greatly in different places. Sometimes they have to ride bicycles out to country homes, sometimes the work is in villages where just a step separates the houses so the worker can call and teach at several houses during the day. We rejoice over the good news of the number they have led to Christ by their faithful, untiring work.

Two of the women are working among the Kindergarten pupils and their parents. An-so, who has been a Bible woman for many years, went to her Heavenly Home during the year.

Daily Vacation Bible Schools

The Daily Vacation Bible School work was encouraging this year. The studies were on the books of Judges and Ruth. For two weeks in July, twelve volunteer helpers, six boys and six girls, worked hard preparing and sending out supplies to other churches, and also in preparing and telling the stories themselves. The effect of this drill, year after year, is very marked. Sixteen places used the programme this year.

There are a number of people, both old and young, who are preparing, by

correspondence, the programme for 1938. These people will make good teachers in their respective churches.

Educational

The Theological College

The work of the College has gone on throughout the year without interruption. At the end of the school year in March, three students were graduated, and began their life work of preaching the Gospel.

The students, in addition to their summer work, have all been assigned to nearby churches throughout the year to help with Sunday School work, music, and the preaching, and thus gain weekly practical experience along with their studies.

For the past year, the institution has been under the supervision of a Board of Managers, made up of three missionaries appointed by Mission Council, and six members appointed by Presbytery, the latter consisting of four Formosan preachers, the pastor of the Japanese Presbyterian Church in Taihoku, and a Professor of the Imperial University in Taihoku. We have been encouraged by the way this board has taken responsibility for this vital work of the church, and we believe that the institution has been placed on a firmer foundation for these changing times by putting it under this Board of Managers.

One significant decision made by the Board of Managers during the year was that we should attempt to find a properly qualified Japanese to become principal of the College as soon as possible. It is hard for anyone not resident in Formosa to appreciate the difficulties which any foreigner confronts as head of an educational institution in these trying times. Patriotic education, according to the present educational policy, must take precedence over everything else. In some respects, it becomes very difficult for any one but a Japanese to satisfy the requirements of the Educational department, which exercises strict supervision over all educational institutions. The Board of Managers has agreed on a Japanese pastor as a possible suitable Principal of the College, and the approval of his appointment will be sought at the meeting of Presbytery in February.

Another important decision made during the year was that the college should be moved to Taihoku and occupy the building formerly rented for use as a hospital. The building is larger than the one we have been using in Tansui, but some of the rooms will be used for the Church offices, Book Room, etc., and it will become the centre of the activities of the church. Plans are under way to move to the new site soon after the first of the year.

Women's School

Great changes often have small beginnings. This is what we hope will be true of the Women's School. To our regular group of women of different ages and attainments was added a new upper department, which this year consists of a class of two, who are high school graduates. The aim for the lower class has been much Bible instruction and some elementary general education. In the upper class, we hope to teach the girls methods to use with small children, whether in the home or kindergarten, Sunday School, or in Girls' Groups. The upper class also takes certain subjects at the Theological College.

During the year, four girls have finished the course for the lower grade. One went into evangelistic work, another is continuing her studies in another school, while two returned to their homes.

The school is now under a Board of Managers consisting of two Japanese Christians, four Formosan Christians, and two missionaries.

Through recent years a gradual advance toward the using of the Japanese language entirely has been made. This year the morning worship has been conducted only in that language.

The students have practical work in connection with their school work. "Working under difficulties" does not adequately express what takes place on Sunday evenings when some of the students trudge through the muddy, narrow back street of Tansui, being greeted by the voices of small children, crying out, "They have come, they have come!"—while shop-keepers stretch their necks to gaze at whoever is venturing forth on the dark wet night. Arriving at a small room, the students arrange benches, and soon the space is crowded with children, and by a dim light, chorus singing, Bible story telling, and reading of catechism begins.

Other practical work includes assisting in the Women's Meeting in the Tansui Church, the Sunday School, visitation of new hearers, and Daily Vacation Bible School work.

Kindergarten Report

The year started with four church kindergartens on the roll. True, a few years ago there were seven, but in trying to stress self-support, we have lost three by the wayside. Discouraging as this is, we still believe that it has not been in vain for during the year we have added two new ones to the list, both of them starting without the aid of Mission money for ordinary running expenses. Lately, we have been following the policy of using our Home Grant mainly in equipping the church kindergartens with at least a minimum amount of equipment. This seems to be a wise method for money is soon used with little to show for it, while equipment of the type that we are buying will last for a while. This has meant hours and hours with a carpenter, giving directions, suggestions and trying to correct mistakes that have been made, for the carpenter had little idea of what the finished article should look like. From now on that particular bit of work will not be as difficult, for the carpenter, also, has improved a great deal during the year!

Early in the year three of our Formosan girls came back after taking work at three very fine kindergarten training schools in Japan. Two of them have had a three year course while the other one was there for only a year. These are the first well-trained teachers we have ever had. But even that has had its decided disadvantages! Two are graduates of two of the finest training schools in Japan, schools that are housed in beautiful modern buildings, and very well equipped, schools that have the advantage of being in two of the largest cities of the empire. The girls have had the opportunity of knowing the best that is being done in Japan, a land that is well advanced in kindergarten work. There the parent groups are well organized, and the parents have had at least a public school education. One can easily imagine the delight it would be to work under such conditions. And, one knowing these conditions and the conditions the girls came back to, can easily imagine their disappointment and their discouragement. For here the buildings in which they work have never been built especially for kindergarten use, the windows are high, and the floors are either of rough cement or mud. There is little playground space and meagre equipment. Here the parents think that the little wee children should start in immediately with reading, writing, and arithmetic. The parents have had little or no education. The children have here two languages to learn, their own native tongue and that of the national language. And so for these girls, the first few months have been full of hard re-adjustment, for, even though this is their native land, they have advanced far ahead of those among whom they work. But once they realize that the opportunities for real service are greater here than elsewhere, then the kindergartens will make a great contribution to the church in Formosa.

Medical

Mackay Memorial Hospital

It has again been the privilege of the Hospital staff to witness our Lord's command being fulfilled daily before our eyes. Sick folk have been healed, lepers have been cleansed, deaf people have heard again, sight was restored to the blind, lame children have walked, the poor have had the gospel preached to them and

many who were confined in fettered minds found freedom and readjustment in the fellowship of Christ.

Another year of service without interruption has enabled us to reach many new people with relief from suffering and, at the same time, a knowledge of the saving grace of God's love. The increasing numbers of men and women who have thus been enabled to return to their homes throughout the many years of the Hospital's record have been the reason for the present confidenec in the institution and evidence for its continued popularity. Backed by the confidence of the people, we should be able to open up new fields of service annually.

The absence of Dr. Gushue-Taylor and Dr. Stevens has been acutely felt by all. Nevertheless, owing to the fidelity of the staff, the work has gone on with satisfaction to the medical committee. Doctor Ritasso has, in addition to serving as physician to the Hospital, acted as medical superintendent to the Happy Mount Leprosy Colony. His research on certain phases of narcotic addiction were the subject of a favorable report in the Tokyo papers at the time of the Japan Medical Association this year. Dr. Romantoku has, in addition to giving half-time service on the wards at Mackay Memorial Hospital, continued his research on anklostomiasis in Formosa and has published three reports on the subject this year. He is leaving us to enter the department of Pathology at the University at the New Year.

The year 1937 closed with a larger staff of graduate nurses than formerly, due, partly, to the demand of the government for government-recognized nurses, and due partly, to the fact that the earnings of the Hospital have made it possible to meet the salaries of more graduates. During the year three nurses graduated, and remained on the staff. One of these graduates and one of the pupil nurses have received government certificates.

Miss Phoa, who since the beginning of the Mackay Memorial Hospital, 1912, has been dormitory supervisor, resigned this year, and her departure was attended by many expressions indicating the high esteem in which she was held throughout the years of her trust.

Miss Hermanson returned to Canada in August after a very strenuous year of selfless service. Miss Weir, through force of circumstances, was set to master the Japanese and Formosan languages simultaneously, and to do part-time Hospital work. It is to her credit that she has given a good account of herself in all her efforts and the committee will greatly miss her services when she leaves for Tokyo to further her Japanese studies at the New Year. Miss Chisholm met with a warm welcome on her return to her old field after her enforced absence at home for some time. She was back at work the first week after arrival, and has already completely encompassed her hold on the changed conditions in the hospital to her own and everyone's satisfaction.

Chaplain Chioh, though handicapped somewhat in health, has been able to report a successful year in which eight new members have been baptized into the church after leaving the hospital, and pastors in the field have reported seventy-six names of folk who have become regular adherents since returning to their homes after admission to the institution. It is useless to point out the number of services and consultations by the evangelists, but suffice it to say that the Hospital provides a daily gathering of in-patients and out-patients numbering nearly two hundred souls. This is the biggest church opportunity in the whole district and provides an ever-changing population making up one-half the congregation. Visits were made to many of the patients by members of the Hospital staff after they had returned home to their country districts. This is a very useful piece of work, and one which we would like to develop further except that the times are not conducive to travel.

There have been indications that the native church would welcome a share in the direction of the hospital, and it is possible that in the future the Mission

council may be able to give this matter their attention and bring in a preliminary report on the wisdom and feasibility of any such move.

The number of patients both in the hospital and coming for treatment have kept well up to the average of other years, and the receipts warranted some general re-conditioning of the plant and equipment which had begun to show signs of wear and tear.

The leprosy clinic has been maintained at its usual level and has had the unique distinction of being self-supporting this year. Three of the lepers joined the Church by baptism and we have been encouraging as many as could arrange it to enter the Happy Mount Leprosy Colony. The Government are very enthusiastic over leprosy colony schemes, but, for their own part, undertake no out-patient work, our clinic being the only one in the North of the Island. A road-widening program on the part of the municipal authorities threatens to demolish our present premises for the clinic and we are wondering how our application for a new site will be received in view of the fact that contagious disease units are not welcome in this district. The foreigners resident in our community contributed some five hundred and thirty yen to provide Christmas cheer for the lepers this year.

The foreign community are numerically fewer and the community practice is shrinking. The English Presbyterian Mission in Tainan have requested the Council of the Canadian Mission to provide them with such medical supervision as may be required. This has become necessary following the retirement of the foreign medical missionaries in the South at the time of the transfer of the medical work there to the direction of the Synod of the native church.

The volume of surgical work has fortunately not fallen off, and many are the stories one could tell of folk who have found a new health and a new hope in Christ while bed-ridden in the ward.

The Hospital Committee in presenting this year's report do so with a deep sense of thankfulness to God for helping us to support the community in these trying days, when suffering and distress are so much in evidence. Our prayer is that the healing Spirit of Christ may for many years use this centre as a focus from which His radiance may emanate to heal the minds, souls, and bodies of our fellow-men here.

Number of in-patients	1,410
Number of out-patients	15,897
Number of operations	761
Major	465
Minor	296
Maternity cases	76

FINANCIAL STATEMENT, MACKAY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, 1937

Balance from 1936	Yen 2,967.34
Receipts all sources, plus balance	93,696.31
Expenditures—including payment of Yen 2,000 loan	79,774.91
Balance	Yen 13,921.40
Charity—In-patients free, 204; out-patients free, 1,416	Yen 6,256.65

In behalf of the Formosan Mission Council,

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Report of the Jhansi Canadian Presbyterian Mission

1937

The main question to ask in regard to any phase of mission work is, "Is it meeting the needs of the people?" We believe we can truly say of the work being done in the Girls' School that it is a service rendered to one of the most important as well as the most neglected communities in India; that is outside the Christian Missionary enterprises.

Miss Stringer writes that in 1937 the Girls' School had a larger number of scholars than ever before. There were 112 girls in the hostel and 148 girls and boys attending as day pupils. There was a staff of 11 teachers and two part time masters, all of whom were efficient and helpful.

The aim is to lead these children into a definite knowledge of Christ as their own personal Saviour, and to train them to take their place as Christian women in what ever capacity the Lord would have them serve. Many of those who have finished here look upon the school as their home and bring their difficulties and problems to us for solution. Two of the most dependable nurses in the Jhansi Union Missionary Hospital are girls from this school.

For the past three months Miss Stringer has been living in the hostel with the girls. There they have a busy life. The rising bell sounds at 5 o'clock, followed by prayers and then a wash up and house cleaning when the big hostel is swept and dusted and beds made up. They have breakfast at seven, followed by school from 8 to 1.30, then the mid-day meal. From 3.30 to 5 they have supervised study; then games from 5 to 6 p.m. Next comes the evening meal and prayers; home work until 8.30; then early to bed and early to rise.

Before the Jhansi Christian Convention in November some of the girls were earnestly seeking for Spiritual uplift, then during the convention, mainly through the messages of Mr. Bakht Singh, three girls were definitely converted.

Mr. Mackay's report of the Boys' School has a cheerful and hopeful strain. It begins as follows: "As we look back over 1937 we thank God and take courage. Truly the Lord hath done great things for us whereof we are glad."

In July an Eighth class was started which brought the school up once more to the standing of an English Upper Middle School. In the final examinations held in May, percentage of passes was the highest in the history of the school. Last July was introduced a new Bible course which has proved much better than the one formerly used. In all lines progress is reported.

The outside activities such as, scouting, bazaar preaching and Sunday school work amongst Non-Christians, is carried on with greater zeal and success than ever before, in spite of keen opposition from the Arya Samaj groups at every meeting. In this work of witnessing some of the older boys act as leaders of the groups. This work takes courage. Groups of boys also go each Thursday evening to Baragaon, Miss Whatling's village, for a service with Christians and later engage in bazaar preaching.

In September a Christian Library was opened in the city for Non-Christians where Bibles and other Christian literature is sold and personal work done. One Brahman declares he has found peace by believing in Christ as a result of reading a New Testament.

During the special meetings the men and boys were greatly moved, as well as the women and girls.

The Evangelistic Work was carried on by Dr. Thurrott, Miss Whatling, Mr. Cheshire and Mr. Moti Lal, our zealous and capable Indian Pastor and evangelist, who is not only very active in the Church work in all our stations, but also engages in work amongst Non-Christians. Mr. Lowther, who was absent on furlough throughout the year returned in the latter part of November and will be released for one year from

the Jhansi Field to carry on work according to his arrangement with the Board of Missions.

Mr. Cheshire's report, as he wrote it, is short and to the point so I shall rewrite it in full.

"The year 1937 began as the previous year had passed, in barrenness. Such a state does not represent the normal Christian life, not to mention a life fully yielded to the Lord. Many of us felt that a change could be brought about during the year. The old fashioned methods of prayer, Bible study and witnessing were tried, definitely, systematically tried. And the end of the year saw us with some fruit, and considerable faith and hope for the future.

The camping season during the first two or three months of the year brought the usual few who professed a great interest, and still fewer who at least verbally confessed faith in Jesus Christ. The work in Jhansi city during the later months brought similar results, but as in past years the fruit was not permanent. It was along towards the last of the year before definite changes—changes in hearts and lives, began to be noticed. While these changes were mostly among nominal Christians they were none the less real.

Miss Whatling holds the Christian fortress at Baragaon where she has a good bungalow, and a fair sized plot of land fenced in. Passers by are attracted by her fine fruit and flower garden.

This year she, and her group of Christians (themselves) built a small Church-building. This is the first church belonging to the W.M.S. in Foreign lands of which we have any knowledge.

Miss Whatling is assisted by Raja Beti in the Evangelistic work while Sophie Bai looks after the dispensary and witnesses to the many patients who come for medicine.

During one of their days of prayer, they prayed definitely that some soul would be saved that day. They were thankful and greatly cheered when the cook's son, a young man 18 years, accepted Christ as his Saviour.

Their scripture text for the year was I Pet. 6 and 6 "Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that He may exhalt you in due time." They are facing the New year full of joy and thankfulness for they have seen His mighty hand working in their midst.

Medical Report.—Miss Simpson had the important work of healing the sick and preventing diseases which are so prevalent in India. Our healthy Christian community owes much to her services. She also ministers to the souls of people by holding Bible classes with the women and girls.

The dispensary, which also serves as a hospital, is available for the ailing ones and beds are provided for those seriously sick. Nurse Miriam Lal has charge of the dispensary. She is very trustworthy and dependable. She has been with us for more than 7 years. In addition to medical work she takes advantage of every opportunity to proclaim the Gospel.

In October a Non-Christian, while cutting grass with a sickle, was bitten by a Cobra. Her relatives, who were sure she would die, were very anxious to remove her jewellery before she became a corpse. The patient was unconscious when she was taken to the dispensary. Fortunately Dr. Thurrott was there and in a short time the woman was restored to consciousness. A group of about 50 people had gathered. A message was given to them about the great physician of souls. The woman was also soon restored to them fully cured from the deadly snake bite.

Miss Simpson also supervises the orphanage where Grace Bai, who has for many years given faithful service, looks after 15 little orphans, some of whom have interesting stories which could be told. Those in charge of these little tots are anxious to find homes for them where they will be loved and cared for as members of family.

THREE NEW MISSIONARIES IN TRAINING!

It gives us joy to report that two important persons have arrived to interest and cheer the Christian community. They are—Arnold John Cheshire, and Donald Ian MacKay. They have not yet started to learn the language but they have started to observe things.

We are glad to welcome Miss Magee who has also made a very good impression. The language seems to interest her very much at present. An important work awaits her when Miss Stringer goes on her furlough.

The Farm Report.—In some respects 1937 has been the best year we have had on the farm. Financially we have a balance on the right side due to better farming and better crops. Only one lazy Christian farmer failed to pay his land rent.

We purchased 5 bushels of Soya beans for seed and had a good yield of 80 bushels. This crop should be a boon to the farmers here as this variety of grain is, according to analysis, the best in the world for men, women, children and animals. It enriches the soil, helps to smother weeds, and is very productive. After eating the beans and biscuits made from the flour, our farmers are keen to make it their chief rainy season crop.

Under Miss Stringer's supervision our Primary School is becoming more efficient every year. The two trained Christian teachers give their best service to the Christian group of about 40 bright children. After completing the second grade the scholars are promoted to the Jhansi schools.

The most pressing need in connection with our Educational work has yet to be arranged for. Three men at different times were appointed by the Foreign Mission Board to look after the Industrial training of the boys but all of them failed. Few Indian boys are strong and self reliant as too much is done for them, and they do too little for themselves. As a rule the only good boys are those who have had to toil, suffer and undergo strict discipline. Hari Singh, our best workman and Christian, worked his way up until now he has the best workshop in this part of the country. He has trained a dozen or more Non-Christian boys who are now good workmen earning good salaries, but most of the Christian boys are too proud to work hard enough to pay the price of success.

Mr. Matthews of the Govt. Technical School has advised us to see Mr. Strachan, an experienced Scotch Engineer of experience in India. I have invited him to come and see our work and if he is the right man, we may request our Council and the Home Board to consider appointing him to train our boys in the industrial work and to supervise the farm work when we leave for our furlough.

Our Farm Church has to report the Baptism of about a dozen more infants, but, what is of more importance, the addition of Eight more members to our church who were converted during the recent meetings. Several more applied but they were advised to take a further course of study by way of preparation.

A few weeks ago a Non-Christian family joined our community. They were kindly treated and taught the Christian truths, and given work to do. Now they declare they are Christians. They resisted all efforts of their Non-Christian relatives to entice them away.

Mrs. Hawtin writes that it is thrilling to live on a Mission farm. There are so many opportunities for service and the services can be so varied.

The health of our people on the whole has been good. Poona's mother, a brave octogenarian, died here at the beginning of May. Bitti of Gypsy descent, lost her baby, but there have been no other deaths. We thank God for the material blessings He has made us to enjoy.

In the early spring, at the time of the grain harvest, we had our Harvest Home Festival. The church was decorated with flowers, fruits, grain and vegetables. The people brought their thank offering in grain or money, and we had a very helpful sermon by Mr. Moti Lal.

Throughout the year various speakers have come to our church: Mr. Dunlop an American Evangelist, Mr. Abey, Secretary for India of the Christian Endeavour, Mr. Judson of the Government College and, last of all, Mr. Bakht Singh, through whom the influence of the spirit of God was greatly manifested.

Your missionaries are grateful to all at home who are helping with donations and we humbly and hopefully face the future.

A. HAWTIN.

Koreans in Japan

ANNUAL REPORT, 1937

At the close of the old year and the beginning of the new most people pause, at least for a moment to reflect on the past and to look forward to the future. As we reflect on the past, we are full of praise and thanksgiving to God for those who during the year had their names written in the Lamb's Book of Life, and for the many evidences we had of His love and care. We are also grateful to those who so loyally supported us with their prayers and gifts. We face the New Year in the joy of new possibilities, new opportunities. The first day of January always seems radiant with glory, calling us to new undertakings and accomplishments.

It is interesting to observe the changes in the Korean people in Japan during the past few years. Ten years ago they were coming over to Japan at the rate of several hundreds daily. While there are still many coming and going, the number coming over to remain permanently has been greatly reduced. It is with gratitude that we report on the growing ability of the church to manage its own affairs. According to the constitution and by-laws drawn up and adopted by the first General Assembly, which met in May four years ago, the responsibility for the proper conduct of the church rests upon itself. It is a matter for congratulations that its duties are being discharged with care and thoroughness. The church officials have difficult situations to deal with, and no doubt have made some mistakes; but they earnestly desire to do the will of God and that is all important. It should not be forgotten that the church is young, and many of its members poor, and because of this it will need outside financial assistance for some time. Self-support is increasing but necessarily not very rapidly.

During the year the churches in Korea continued to support a Korean pastor in Tokyo. The National Council of Churches in Japan, in part, support two; the remainder of their support being provided by the congregations in which they labour. Ten of our pastors still get the larger part of their support from the Mission. Early in the year a number of the congregations in which these work agreed to assume an additional responsibility of yen ten per month of their pastor's salary. Of the twenty-five Bible women, thirteen are on Mission salary, eight are on half Mission and half native church funds, one is getting three quarters of her support from the native church and the rest from the Mission, and three are entirely supported by the congregations in which they work. Two male evangelists are on full Mission pay. Generally speaking, the Mission support given pastors and male evangelists is provided by the Women's Missionary Society, Eastern Division, and that for Bible women and Kindergartens by the Western Division. The Mission Council is composed of the entire membership of the Mission, and all matters concerning the Mission work are considered by this body. Thus all the work of the Mission has the benefit of the advice of all the missionaries appointed by both the Home Boards.

The difficulties in securing suitable places for worship are great. Good places are hard to find, and when found rents are often prohibitively high. During the year a new building was erected at Ogi; and late in June the congregation at Pyungo purchased a large dwelling house, which they expect to recondition and use as a church

as soon as permission to do so is granted. This brings the number of church buildings now owned by our Korean Christians up to fourteen.

Elders were ordained in many of our churches during the year. The elder is selected by a vote of the congregation, and *six months later*, after successfully passing an examination on a regular course of study, is ordained, and inducted into the congregation. This is an event of importance and usually made an occasion for rejoicing and feasting. The Koreans dearly love to celebrate on occasions of this kind.

We are glad to report that Rev. Malcolm Mackay has finished his third and final year of language study successfully. This gives him the status of a senior missionary, which means that he will not be assigned any further course for study.

As to the organization work of the Nagoya churches, the chief point of interest was the founding of the Second Church. This group is the result of two large groups joining. It was too far to go to the main church, and the prospects for making a very effective witness to the many non-Christians was poor as long as they continued to worship in rooms of private houses. They wanted to build, but since they had no money, and could get no loans, they decided to get a place to rent which would serve as a church for two or three years until they could get sufficient to build. A contract was made to rent a building at Yen 17 a month, and at a cost of more than Yen 200, the place which seats 80 to 100, was renovated and made attractive. The congregation of the main church which might have suffered loss by the separation continues to be almost as large as before.

At Toyohashi and Seto changes are also to be noted. Mr. I. P. Chyu graduated from Chuo Seminary in March and was placed in Toyohashi. He was ordained in November, and inducted into his own church in December. The placing of a pastor may eventually help matters there. In comparison with our other church buildings and the number of resident Koreans in Toyohashi, the structure there is too large. This fact may account for the debt of Yen 800 that still burdens the congregation and is due on the original cost of Yen 2,000. Mr. Chyu is now concerned with paying that off.

Seto congregation has its own church building plans, but they have done no more than buy the land. They have no money, and the prospects for getting a loan are poor; and for paying it back if they could get it, poorer, judging from their poverty.

Previous to 1937 the Korean pastors employed by the Mission and the Korean church received their ordination from their home Presbyteries in Korea. This year a new departure was made when our church ordained its first applicants for the ministry. In May Rev. Pong Kyu Kim, a recent graduate of the Presbyterian Seminary in Tokyo, was ordained and inducted into the congregation of Yawata in Kyushu. He is a good scholar, a hard worker, and married to a former Bible woman. All of which are important qualifications. Rev. In Pong Chyu, the second to be ordained, graduated in March from the Presbyterian Theological Seminary in Kobe, and after working some months as a student catechist was ordained and inducted into the congregation at Toyohashi in December. His wife, too, was an efficient Bible woman, and was the bread earner for the Chyu family while her husband took his five year course of study for the ministry. We predict for both these young couples a career of much usefulness in Christian work among their fellow countrymen.

The work in kindergartens has been encouraging, aside from the fact that it became necessary to close one of the kindergartens in March. The Imamiya Kindergarten in Osaka was closed through circumstances over which we had no control. The other five kindergartens, or nursery schools as they are called, have had a good year. One group of parents recently gave in a lump sum, the salary of the assistant teacher at one kindergarten for the year 1938. There is a prospect of another school starting in the near future. Our teacher's meetings have been held bi-monthly, and have proved helpful to both teachers and parents, and thus aim to establish co-operation between school and home.

During the summer months the Daily Vacation Bible Schools were held as usual, and while the numbers were not so large as usual, still all reported successful schools. The big problem is always that of securing teachers, as so many of the Sunday School teachers are college students, and some return to Korea for the vacation. A great lack in Sunday School work, is that, except for a few days each year when a conference is held for the D.V.B.S. teachers, there is no opportunity for teacher training classes; however the young people give generously of their time and ability to the work.

In April we secured the long-awaited public health nurse. We are much impressed by her work; she has been a real blessing in many homes.

We have no provision in our budget for a camp, or anything of that nature, to which our pastors and workers might go for a holiday. It is very difficult for them, as they have no place to go near by, and to go home to Korea involves the expenditure of quite a bit of money, consequently many of them only get a rest every two or three years. Gifts of money were given, and a house was rented on Awagi Island for a month. Some of the Bible women went first for two weeks, and later several pastors went for a short time. Two pastors who had not been away from their work for two or more years, were able to have a whole month and they reported that it had been a time of real rest and refreshment.

In April the second Annual Meeting of the W.M.S. Presbyterial was held. There were 18 Auxiliaries represented with an attendance of 45. Great emphasis was placed on having more preaching and visiting done as Home Mission work. The women considered ways and means of doing work outside their Presbyterial. Many of the Auxiliaries are kept from doing outside work because of helping with church rents. In the future with an increase in numbers, they hope yearly to raise the amount necessary for the support of a Bible woman in the northern part of the country.

Workers' Prayer meetings are held in the Kobe-Osaka district, and also in the Nagoya district monthly. It is mutually helpful to meet together, although some of the workers, being at such a distance are not able to attend. It gives us an opportunity of getting acquainted, and having fellowship with the workers, otherwise we should only meet some of them once a year.

At present Dr. Young, Mr. Mackay, and the Misses Jean MacLean, Mary E. Anderson, and Ethel MacDonald are on the field. Owing to Mrs. Young's ill health it became necessary for Dr. and Mrs. Young to return to Canada in March. In September we had the pleasure of welcoming Miss Anderson back, and in October Dr. Young. Miss Murphy because of ill health could not return in the fall. We are grateful for the measure of restored health given Mrs. Young and Miss Murphy, and our prayer is that they may soon be permitted to return.

STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR 1937

Agents from Home Church:	
Ordained Missionaries	2
Lady Missionaries	5
Number of stations where missionaries live	2
Native agents:	
Ordained Ministers	13
Unordained evangelists — men	2
Male student evangelists	7
Church officials	286
Bible Women	28
Baptized during the year	200
Communicants	1,391
Total adherents	3,511

STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR 1937—*Continued*

Churches:	13
Organized congregations	42
Churches without elders	19
Prayer meeting places	5
Kindergartens	209
Kindergarten Pupils	65
Sunday Schools	2,346
Sunday School Pupils	64
Vacation Bible Schools	2,383
Vacation Bible School Pupils	41
Women's Missionary Societies	946
Women's Missionary Society Members	Y39,288.45
Total Church offerings	

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Council,

ETHEL MACDONALD,
Secretary.

The Bhil Field

REPORT 1937

1888 - 1938, these figures represent fifty years of faithful service given to India by Dr. John Buchanan, M.D., D.D., more than forty years of which have been spent among the Bhils. Until May, 1935, Mrs. Buchanan laboured with him, always teaching a class or individuals the Way of Salvation. They both worked whenever and wherever they could, "in season and out of season", serving their Lord and Master. For the first few years they were in Ujjain which was reported as an inviting field for medical work "as sanitary conditions were very bad". There they had to live in a poor native house in the city. Besides their medical work their days were filled with preaching and teaching. When it was possible to begin work among the Bhils, Dr. and Mrs. Buchanan were appointed to that field and Amkhut was chosen as the place to begin.

Others came to help, among them Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smith who began work in Mendha. They remained until 1926 when they went to Sitamau. In 1937, while on holiday in Kashmir, Mr. Smith died after a short illness.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald came in 1911. In January 1932, after many years of loving service to the Bhil women and children, Mrs. McDonald was taken from us. Her kindly, loving sympathy and friendship meant much to the women of our Christian community.

Miss Robson came in 1912. In 1932 she had to go home because of ill health. She gave of her time, strength and talents unstintingly, and many of the present workers in our different stations owe practically everything to her.

In 1933, after a very few years in India, Miss Soutar was called to higher service. She had become very dear to all, and especially to the little children in the M. G. Abey Memorial Children's Home. A short time ago word came that Mrs. Abey, who had given so generously to build the "Home" in memory of Mr. Abey because of his great love for children, has now gone to join her husband.

After less than a year in India, Dr. Effie Winchester had to leave on account of her health. We are very glad to know that both Miss Robson and Dr. Winchester have largely regained their health in Canada.

Thus from 1896 until the present time many changes have taken place but the work goes on. This year, 1938, Dr. Buchanan will have completed fifty years of Mission service. His heart will always be with the Bhils, and his wish is that

he may be spared "a few more years in some quiet corner of the Bhil land" where he can carry on work after his retirement.

MELA

Among the Hindus "melas" (religious festivals) are very common. Besides the worship at some temple, there are the shops set up temporarily by merchants, there are merry-go-rounds and ferris wheels of a sort run by man power, besides all the other attractions of a fair. Our "melas" are much less colourful but so much more serious. People come from the different Stations by ox-cart, on bicycle or on foot, while as many as possible are brought by the missionaries in the motors. In this way many can attend for part time who otherwise would not be able to go when the Mela is in a distant station. In March, 1937, our yearly Mela was held in Amkhut. We were fortunate in having Mr. Hodge of the National Christian Council with us at the time. The second speaker was Mr. Motilal, the newly ordained pastor of the Jhansi congregation. Both speakers were much appreciated, and in the rooms set aside for prayer many were helped to a fuller understanding of discipleship. We all returned to our stations with more courage and inspiration, and with a greater desire to save those who are still living in the darkness of sin.

RAINY SEASON CLASS WORK

Dr. Padre Labhu Mal came to us again in August. We all rejoiced to learn that the United Presbyterian Church of America had honoured one so worthy by the bestowal of the degree of Doctor of Divinity. The weekly classes were held in Amkhut with Sunday services in the other stations. Newton Labhu Mal came with his father, and his messages, especially to the younger members of the congregations, were very helpful. The Padre is greatly loved and his very presence is a blessing.

In August we also had Mr. and Mrs. Tobit. They are honorary workers. Mr. Tobit has held high positions in educational institutions under the Government of the United Provinces, but since his retirement they have been going about preaching wherever called. One of the delightful features of their meetings was the singing of hymns and choruses from books compiled by them for this special work.

VISITORS

In February we enjoyed a short visit from Mr. and Mrs. Allan Reoch of Manchuria on their way home on furlough. "They greatly inspired us with stories of those believing Chinese who have come out of great tribulation and have found and won new life for themselves and for Manchuria."

We were very pleased to have the privilege of a short visit from Dr. and Mrs. Laird in October. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald, with whom they stayed in Jobat, made it possible for us all to meet them and to enjoy the very encouraging message of Dr. Laird.

In December Major Thomson came from Tasmania to visit Dr. and Miss Buchanan. Having been in India as a young military officer he knew something of the language so that he was able to speak to the people in their own tongue. He visited all of the main stations of our Bhil field, and after leaving he wrote to Dr. Buchanan: "I should love to return to India again. The vastness of the field, the multitude of open doors, the difficulty of the problems, the hospitality and kindly welcome of the missionaries and others, all make their appeal."

CONFERENCES

During the year two conferences were held in connection with the Bhil work—one in Ratlam in February when the Bhil Work Council was organized on the suggestion of the Mid-India Representative Christian Council, and a second in Dohad in October at which committees were appointed to go into certain questions of interest to all. A number of Missions and Churches working among Bhils were represented at both these meetings.

In November Miss Errey attended the meetings of the Trained Nurses Association of India which met in Delhi. She reports that this was the "best attended and the most interesting and helpful" conference of its kind that she had attended.

Another conference in November was the Mid-India Representative Christian Council. India is divided into sections under the National Christian Council and we come under the Mid-India section. Those privileged to represent our Mission each year find the meetings, messages and discussions very helpful, and the little they are able to bring back is a great help to the work.

Evangelistic Work

When we hear of the Bhils in village after village of the Ratlam area of the United Church of Canada Mission, adjoining our field to the north, being baptized, we wonder if the movement will continue down into our area. We know that there are years of faithful service behind such movements. As far back as 1889 Dr. Buchanan and Dr. J. Fraser Campbell visited Sailana State where now so many Bhils are accepting Christ as their Saviour. Through the years missionaries and Indian workers have carried on, greatly discouraged at times no doubt, but always doing their best to obey their Master's command, "Go ye therefore and teach all nations." Now, after fifty years, the harvest is being reaped. Our Mission is responsible for parts of Jhabua State south of the United Church of Canada area, and Mr. and Mrs. Wood are giving their full time to that territory. They find that the message is being received "with simple yet genuine faith" and we hope and pray that 1938 will tell the story of great ingatherings. In much of our field the Gospel has not been proclaimed for longer than 15 or 20 years, and many, many parts have not yet been touched. In Barwani State alone there is a population of 250,000, and last year Mr. and Mrs. Toombs had a staff of four to reach so many. The same is true of Jobat and Alirajpur States. Our Christian community is small and where other longer established Missions depend on their Christians to spread the Gospel, we have still to depend on paid workers. Our boys and girls must be trained to take the responsibility and their training is costly. "With funds curtailed we are greatly restricted in the carrying on of the work." Such work demands "the support of the churches at home and a consecrated, intelligent prosecution of the work on the part of the missionary."

The touring season is short but the missionaries are always working in and around their stations when it is not possible to live out among the more distant peoples. The workers are being trained the year around. There is always the daily Bible class as well as special classes for at least one month of the year, besides the daily Bible lesson taught in all our schools, and in the Hospital the work of at least one evangelist and one Bible woman. The people who come to the Dispensaries, too, get more than just treatment for bodily ills. Sunday Schools are carried on in as many centres as possible, some of them where there may be no more than one Christian family but where the non-Christian neighbours attend fairly regularly.

As soon as the weather is cool enough many of our staff get out in tents. "We go each year with the same urge, 'Woe unto me if I preach not the Gospel', and the same heart's desire to see multitudes of these simple, lovable village tribesmen turn from their demon worship to find deliverance from fear and bondage in Jesus Christ."

The difficulties are many. We very seldom meet with people who can read. We carry a supply of books and tracts for the merchants and officials we sometimes meet, but this means of reaching the Bhil is practically nil. Then the language difficulty is very real through most of the Bhil country. They speak many dialects so that it is not always easy to make them understand. Then again, for the most part our Bhils are very poor, very near to famine much of the time, and the temptation to become Christians in the hope of benefiting materially is not far away. Also, they have many fears. One of the greatest is that of being cut off from their people both in this

life and after death. Everything, their demon worship included, is done by the clan as a whole which "governs every phase of life." Miss Maxwell has been asked if she wants them to leave their farms and follow her. She is able to reply that not one of her workers lives in the same village with her. They each one farm during the farming season and pay taxes to the Government. That cannot be said of all our workers, but many of them are what Mr. McDonald calls "raw recruits" who help with the evangelistic work during the cool season only.

Another great hindrance comes from the "barwas" (witch doctors) who have a great influence in some villages. Mr. McDonald reports of them: "In a camping centre, some miles distant from Seriomal, in a number of villages, Thapli, Deolia and Baleri, the witch doctors seemed to be in control in a way we have never seen in any other district. Someone in almost every second or third house was carrying on the business. In two cases we found either the witch doctor or many of their families sick almost unto the point of death. However, their reputation as witch doctors was not at all damaged by such incidents, as they are not supposed to treat or heal members of their own households."

The encouragements are many also. The Christians of our communities are growing in grace, the school children are being trained to carry on the work of their parents and others, new Christians are being taught to read so that they may the better understand the great love of God in that He sent His only begotten Son to die for them.

The organized congregations are doing more and more to carry their own burdens. The Jobat congregation has "met all congregational expenses including the minister's salary, and also made a payment of Rupees 200 towards the debt of Rupees 900 that was incurred when the church was built." Mr. Toombs reports for Barwani that the congregation bought a much needed organ for their services. It cost them Rupees 340 (about $125.00) but as he writes: "No congregation at home faces difficult situations more courageously than our Indian Christians." The Amkhut congregation not only is self supporting but along with the other congregations supports the Home Mission work of the Presbytery. The Mendha congregation voted to send Rupees 25 both to the North India Christian Tract and Book Society and to the British and Foreign Bible Society, besides getting the necessary furniture for the newly renovated Church-School. The missionaries in the different Stations help by their contributions, it is true, but the aim is to be self-supporting, and many of the people themselves give at least a tenth towards the Lord's work.

Perhaps the most encouraging feature is the restlessness shown by many non-Christians, also the dissatisfaction with the older things and a longing for the new, which makes them more willing to listen and we hope to accept the message of the Gospel.

Educational

1937 was a busy year for Miss Sherrick who had charge of the Amkhut School, as well as all the Mission schools outside of Amkhut until November when Miss Douglas returned from furlough to resume her work of supervising the village schools. Our stations are all considerable distances apart and the work of Supervisor means much travelling about with a few days in each place. With many teachers who are quite untrained, it takes a great deal of supervision and help to keep the schools up to standard. One of the Amkhut teachers, Kunji Master, who had taught for many years, died rather suddenly, and later on one of the younger men teaching in the Jobat School died. There were other changes also, all creating difficulties to be overcome. In the Amkhut School there were 160 children with a staff of 11 or 12 teachers. The outside schools had about 100 pupils.

Four of the teachers were sent to the Baroda State Rural Reconstruction Centre at Kosamba during their holidays. They returned reporting "a happy and profitable

time there. Some of our people have seen very little of the outside world and it does them good to get out of the jungle even if only a short distance and for a little while.''

The boys in the Alirajpur State High School did not do very well. Not having a missionary in that station all of the time made it impossible to give the boys the help they needed. The State High School is not affiliated with any of the Colleges so that it does not have as much supervision as it would otherwise have.

The girls were sent to Khandwa for further training, two more to Normal School and one for Bible training. Three went to homes of their own, ''better equipped, we hope, for having lived in Christian surroundings for a few years.''

A Teachers' Association was started. They meet once a month and the teachers from all of the schools attend as often as possible. This promises well for the future.

In the hot weather Miss Williamson went to Toran Mal taking with her the School orphans, a few of the teachers, and the children from the Home. She writes: ''There were about seventy of us altogether. Most of them made the journey by foot and ox-cart, a journey which took from Monday afternoon to Thursday afternoon—quite a trip in the heat, but once there the troubles of the way are forgotten.'' The younger children went by motor and were the centre of attraction wherever they went. ''One man asked all about who they were and when he had their history he freely passed it on to the others. It was almost beyond their comprehension that any one would bother with unwanted children.''

Medical

Our Hospital in Jobat with its fifty beds serves the country for many miles around. There are State hospitals in Barwani, 50 miles away, and in Alirajpur, 21 miles away, the former fully equipped in every way, the latter still in the process of construction. During the year buses began to run through Jobat on the new metalled road, making it possible for patients to come to the Hospital more quickly and easily than they could before. As the people gain confidence, they are coming to the Hospital to be treated instead of calling the witch doctor. A Bible woman for woman patients and an Indian evangelist for the men ensures the Gospel being preached to every patient, and, what is often more telling, to the many relatives who come along. As far as possible the patients are followed up and visited in their homes.

For the first three months of 1937 we had Dr. Winchester and she was kept very busy. In March she had to go to the hills for language study, and from there she went direct to Bombay and Canada. We can only imagine what a blow this was to the Doctor herself and to those working with her in Jobat.

In November Dr. Quinn arrived. What his arrival meant can best be told by Miss McConnell: ''And was it thrilling to make 'rounds' with a doctor! Those feelings were 'better felt than telt'. Our hopes and aspirations for the Hospital mount higher and higher each day. With an increase in patients, and with a Doctor now in charge, we can already visualize our Nurses' Training Class, and see a work being done that is going to train girls to take their place as useful citizens in their own community. Until the Training Class is started, it is my intention to take in a few girls and teach them some of the practical things about nursing. They will not train as nurses but as attendants.''

Below are given a few statistics for 1937.

In-patients	*Male*	*Female*	*Bhil*	*Hindu*	*Mohammedan*	*Christian*	*Total*
	147	133	90	73	58	59	280
	Hospital days: 4,036.		Average stay of patients: 14½ days.				
Out-patients	3,323	1,922	2,870	1,038	854	483	5,245
Repeats							6,008
Operations		Major: 5			Minor: 22		27
Obstetrical cases							26

Besides the Hospital there are Dispensaries in Amkhut, Barwani and Mendha. Firstly, they serve the local Christian community; and secondly, they are a means of giving to all who come for medical aid the story of Life and Love. Patients who cannot be attended to locally are taken to the Hospital in Jobat.

Another achievement of the year was the opening of the Nurses' Home in Jobat. ''We had been looking for a woman and praying that the right one might be chosen for the position of Matron for the Home. (In this part of the country such women are difficult to find.) After the death of Kunji Master, some of us felt that his wife was the person who would meet the requirements. Early in March she was given the position, and the Nurses' Home was opened with two graduate nurses, and three young Bible women in residence. Now that the Home has been in operation for some months we wonder how we ever got along without it.''

M. G. Abey Memorial Children's Nursing Home

It is just over six years since the ''Home'' was formally opened with Miss Soutar in charge. Now Mangal Singh, Musa and Kisan are going to school. Other children have come with the years and all have found a happy home where they are loved and cared for. There has been no epidemic during 1937 but the usual number of sick children and others have come to the Dispensary for treatment, some of them staying until they were well. Six babies were born in the ''Home'', and Miss Errey visited a number of homes to help in times of sickness.

Re-inforcements

In November, all in one day, our missionaries returning from Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Wood and Miss Douglas, and our new missionaries, Dr. and Mrs. Quinn, with Clarence and Jennabeth Wood and Ruth Quinn, arrived in Jobat. After the loss suffered through the departure of Dr. Winchester and Miss MacMurchy in September, we felt greatly encouraged by these re-inforcements.

The Year's End

All being anxious to work among the non-Christians round about us whenever and wherever possible, Miss Douglas and Miss Sherrick, with a few workers, went into camp in the Jobat District right after Christmas. Let us close the year with them as they sat about their camp fire on New Year's Eve after their Bhil guests had gone to their homes and they were left alone with their thoughts. ''What of the mass movements going on within a hundred miles or so of us? For what motive do these masses become Christians? What methods have been used in dealing with them? Should we remove from the Gospel the 'offence of the Cross' and make Christianity an easy thing, a sort of new and different caste with Jesus as our Guru or Teacher? Or should we continue to preach the Word, 'The wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is Eternal Life, through Jesus Christ our Lord', and 'Except ye be born again, ye cannot see the Kingdom of God'? In our need and in our perplexity we turned to Him Who has promised to be unto us Wisdom, and we prayed for the souls of our people.

''At midnight no bells or whistles broke the stillness of the jungle, but into the darkness went the long drawn cry, 'Bo-o-o-o-ol, Yishu Masih ki jai!' (Shout, victory to Jesus).''

Compiled by the Editing Committee of Council,
and respectfully submitted,

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MY WORK IN THE CHRISTIAN LITERATURE SOCIETY

A Brief Report to the General Assembly, Canada

The year 1937 has been an unusual year for me. In the first place, my dear father who laboured for His Kingdom for the last fifty-five years passed away in sleep on June 9th one month before the Sino-Japanese Conflict. His Christian example was a great inspiration to me. Through his death God has revealed to me the value of genuine Christian devotion and the joy of Christian service.*

In the second place, during the interval of father's death and the Sino-Japanese Conflict, with the permission of the C.L.S. I paid a visit to Hong-Kong and Canton with my friend, Mr. K. S. Lee, inspecting the missionary work done in his village and meeting important people at different places. This trip opened my eyes as to the possibilities of our work here in the C.L.S. I noted that country folks welcomed the books that we produced. I saw some of the books written by myself on their shelf. While in Kaingman, Canton, I also met Mr. and Mrs. Broadfoot of the United Church of Canada. The trip lasted about three weeks. It is an unusual year because of the war situation. It is a great challenge. While it changed some of my plans, it gave me splendid chances to distribute some of our Christian literature. My friend Mr. K. S. Lee enabled me to do this financially. He also sent me several thousand dollars for the refugee work.

In my connection with the Shanghai Christian Broadcasting Association, I have been broadcasting devotional talks the last few years. This year I have been responsible for publishing Radio Devotional Talks (286 pp.). This is listed in our C.L.S. catalogue.

As D.V.B.S. Readers have proved to be in great demand, the Sixth Reader prepared by me was published. Refugees in Shanghai have found this whole series very useful. The other series, namely the C.L.S. Readers for the Illiterates (now six in the series), proved to be useful also.

In my contact with country folks and in my course of reading, I jotted down many interesting instances. They are now published as a ten cent book entitled Notebook for Young People (116 pp.). This is quite different from anything that I translated or wrote, but some young people already appreciated reading it.

Two bigger books have been published during the year. One is entitled The Character of Paul by C. E. Jeffersson (335 pp.). It is in national language and has already been commented upon favourably. Mr. Kao, former manager of the famous Commercial Press, sent me his appreciation and valuation of the book, and the Shining Light had it printed. The other book is Selected Stories for Christmas (296 pp.). It contains ten nice stories, such as A Christmas Carol by Dickens, The Other Wise Man by Van Dyke, The Gift of Magi by O. Henry. It took me several years to compile this book. Unfortunately, the war condition prevents it from becoming a best seller this year.

At the suggestion of Miss Brown and others, The Duty of Parents Towards Their Children was prepared and published. This is an adaptation of Sperry's What You Owe Your Child. It has only 68 pages. I hope that Sunday School teachers will make use of this little pamphlet.

Thanks to the Foreign Missionary Board of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, a good sum of money came to us for printing some of my books to celebrate the C.L.S. Jubilee. Three books were agreed upon. First, the Stories for Students in two big volumes. Second, Pilgrim's Progress Part One in nice big type with beautiful binding. The third is my own original writing entitled What I owe to the Christian Church. The book was written and the type was all set, but owing to the war condition the project is held up for the time being.

* See attached the Memorial Minute of the Presbyterian Mission, Ningpo.

Likewise, Pilgrim's Progress Part Two was all done except the printing of it. We hope that with the coming of the new year C.L.S. may find its way clear in bringing such an important work out.

The Shining Light stopped for one issue though the type was all set, owing to war condition. Later on we issued combined numbers twice with the Women's Messenger and the Preacher's Magazine. Now the Shining Light comes out regularly but still joining with the Preacher's Magazine jointly. The circulation dropped due to war conditions.

On the other hand, war enables me to write tracts of comfort and inspiration for Christians throughout the nation. I have already written several. One of them is entitled Dr. Sun Yat Sen and Christianity. This can be used for the wounded soldiers and refugees. So within one month we had another printing of it. The other one is entitled This Year's Christmas Message. The National Christian Council published it and distributed it far and wide. I also wrote church news for our Presbyterian Weekly and for one in Hankow, called Lutheran Weekly.

Concerning reprints, Latest Sermons by Moody and Why God used D. L. Moody were in demand and we had them reprinted this year. I also prepared a Short Life of D. L. Moody, but owing to war conditions the publication was withheld. D.V.B.S. First Reader is now in its 23rd edition. The Second Reader is in its 16th edition. C.L.S. First Reader is in its 8th edition. Short Term Reader For Illiterate Church Members First Reader is in its 5th edition. They seem to meet a pressing demand, in spite of war. Madame Chiang Kai-shek's My Religion was printed several times this year, and each edition was 3,000 copies or thereabout. This is our best seller this year, I think. A few books prepared by our Shining Light staff were also reprinted.

During the year I had good health and God blessed us richly through danger and sickness. My wife helps a missionary girls' school and acts as president of its Board of Directors. Our children are growing up nicely. We teach the elder girl piano lessons. The elder boy grows up fast. He may become a preacher later on. Three of our children are in our church school. So allow me to thank you again for your continued support, morally and financially all these years.

Our Society is carrying on its work with hopes and courage. We are not depressed. Since the Devil tries to make people hate each other, it is our increasing duty to preach the glad tidings of our Lord Jesus Christ. For it is the only hope for a better world and for a lasting peace.

Yours sincerely,

Z. K. Zia.

MEMORIAL MINUTE, PASTOR ZIA TS-HYI

"The death of Rev. Zia Ts-Hyi, D.D., having occurred on June 9th, 1937, at Ningpo, at the age of 74 years, the following minute was taken, a copy of which is to be sent to his family:

The Ningpo Station takes this opportunity of putting on record its appreciation of the life and labors of Rev. Zia Ts-Hyi with whom the Station has had life-long association, first through his father and mother, and later with the Rev. Mr. Zia himself.

We especially remember his genius for friendship, his magnetic personality, his able leadership, his tender sympathy, his fearless attitude, his delightful humour, his efficiency and untiring zeal, and his unswerving devotion to his Lord and Master.

Pastor Zia was a teacher, a preacher, a pastor, an evangelist, an administrator, an organizer, and in every line of work he was outstanding. At the same time he was an unusually tender and helpful husband and father, shouldering home responsibilities that many a busy man would never have thought of carrying. One remembers with joy his gentle love and care for his grandchildren, even to taking a little restless one

into his room for the night that the mother might sleep. His was truly a Christianized home whose influence spread far and wide.

Pastor Zia was the son of Zia Ying-Tong who was one of the first three Chinese elders of the Ningpo Church, and most likely the first Chinese elders of the whole Presbyterian Church in China. Our early record books bear testimony to the ability and devotion of this saintly man, who later became the first ordained man of our Church in China. Pastor Zia's mother was a pupil of Miss Aldersey and studied in her school which was the first boarding school for girls in China, and later taught in that school which was not many years later merged with our school, Dzong-Teh. She was one of the first women in Ningpo to unbind her feet, a fact that speaks more clearly than words can tell of her courage and of her devotion to what she knew to be right. This father and mother gave three sons to the service of God, and Pastor and Mrs. Zia have in turn given five children to the work of Christ in China. Had Missions done nothing else in Ningpo but to be used of God to sow the seed in the heart of Pastor Zia's father and mother, it would have been well worth all the effort spent here.

Pastor Zia was well prepared for his task by heritage, by unusual native ability, and by training, having had college and seminary education in Shantung under such men as Dr. Corbett, and Dr. Mateer, and others.

He spent the last 25 years of his life as pastor of the Ningpo Fuzin Church with its many ramifications of work in schools, chapels, East Gate Evangelistic Centre which he started, and other city organizations. He was a tower of strength and help in the Presbytery, Synod and General Assembly, serving as first Moderator of the General Assembly. Wooster College in America laid aside all its rules for not giving honorary degrees *in absentia* when it conferred on this worthy man the degree of Doctor of Divinity.

We are thankful to God for the privilege of knowing Pastor Zia, of working with him, and sitting in the pew when he was in the pulpit. We wish to acknowledge here the debt we owe to him for his warm friendship, his wise counsel in many difficulties, and his shepherding of us as a pastor.

To Mrs. Zia, who cared for him so devotedly those last years of his life, we express our love and sympathy in her great loss, and to his children we say that we sorrow with them for to us also he was very precious. May we, who are left behind to labor for yet a while before we may join our father and friend, be faithful and zealous in shouldering the great work that he carried so nobly and which now he has passed on to us.''

British Guiana

REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1937

During the past year the Canadian staff on this field has had the following members: Rev. and Mrs. D. Marshall, Rev. and Mrs. J. Dunn, Rev. and Mrs. DeC. H. Rayner, Miss Olwen Davies, and Miss Anne Storey. Rev. DeC. H. Rayner arrived in the Colony in May and Mrs. Rayner in July. Rev. and Mrs. D. Marshall and family left on furlough in June. Miss Davies was on short holiday in Canada from July 4 to October 20, and Miss Storey from August 29 to October 20. During the absence of the Commissioner and Chairman of Mission Council, Rev. D. Marshall, the acting chairman is Rev. J. Dunn, and the acting treasurer, Rev. DeC. H. Rayner.

The work of the Mission is twofold in nature,—educational and evangelistic. The educational work is extensive, takes a great deal of the missionary's time and energy, and is a source of constant worry and trouble. It is hoped, however, that the results justify the expenditure of time, energy and money. Daily religious education is given in all the schools. The Commissioner deserves great credit for his achievement in getting the Department of Education to assume the major share of the financial cost of our schools. The present cost to the Mission of roughly one hundred dollars

a month is only a fraction of the former expense, and even this amount is being gradually curtailed.

There are four types of schools: (a) Mission Schools—that is, those supported and controlled entirely by the Mission; (b) Section 80 Schools—those for which the Government gives a grant to be used at the discretion of our Governing Body; (c) Full Grant-in-Aid Schools—those in which the Government pays in full the salaries of teachers and in addition gives a grant for maintenance, supplies, and equipment; (d) High Schools—in New Amsterdam are two high schools, one for boys and one for girls. These are housed in separate buildings and are administered separately, but for educational purposes, the classes are, at times, amalgamated.

The following statistics serve to illustrate the situation:

Number of primary schools	29
Number of pupils enrolled	4,901
Number of teachers	113
BERBICE BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL	
Number of pupils enrolled	65
Number of teachers	4
BERBICE GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL	
Number of pupils enrolled	47
Number of teachers	5

Our evangelistic work is closely connected with the educational. The school buildings are used for Sunday School and church service purposes on the Sabbath, although, of course, there are centres where there are church buildings without schools and other stations where we have no specific buildings. The following figures may be of interest:

Number of church buildings	24
Number of schools used for church services	18
Number of preaching stations other than these	5
Number of catechists	19
Number of catechist-teachers	4
Number of Sunday Schools	66
Number of Sunday School scholars	2,481
Number of Sunday School teachers	101
Number of ordained elders	13
Number of communicant members	500
Number of adherents and inquirers	664
Number of churches built during the year	4
Number of new preaching stations opened	2
Number of new Sunday Schools opened	2
Number receiving Baptism: infants 98, adults 59	157

During the year several new churches have been built—the Ephraim Scott Memorial to replace the fallen-down one at Better Hope. Funds from the will of the late Dr. Ephraim Scott, augmented by local contributions, were used for this purpose; the Muktibhowan Church, House of Salvation, at Port Mourant; the enlarged and repainted church at Providence; and a troolie thatch church building on the Pomeroon Road.

In Georgetown Miss Storey continues to train the two local deaconesses, the Misses Edna Jhanki and Violet Debidin, to assist in the organizations at St. Cuthbert's and Kingston, and to make visitations. Miss Storey conducted a girls' camp at Burns Memorial Home, Sarnia, Essequibo, in August. Miss Davies, Headmistress of the Girls' High School in New Amsterdam, since her return from holiday, has been devoting part of her time to religious work in the districts adjacent to New Amsterdam.

Several problems face the Council. First, there is the necessity to develop the authority and extend the functions of the Mission Council. The work has suffered in the past through lack of a central and authoritative executive. Secondly, the religious

education and our Sabbath Schools need much more attention paid them than hitherto. Thirdly, the training of our present and future catechists must be undertaken. Initial steps in this matter have been taken this year but it is imperative that a greater degree of attention be paid this phase of our work. Fourthly, a programme of new buildings and rehabilitation of present ones presents serious financial difficulties. These difficulties, however, are not insuperable due largely to the increasing willingness of local communities to assume a larger share of such costs. Fifthly, ways must be found to decrease the amount of time spent at present by the missionary in the details of administration and free him for his primary task of preaching the Gospel and supervising the local church.

We think that it may be fairly recorded that steady and quiet progress has been made this past year. No spectacular gains have been made, but our work has been increasingly ordered and consolidated that we may be in a better position to avail ourselves of future opportunities.

Grateful recognition is herewith made of the loyal and sacrificial labours of many of our native workers, and of the interest and support of our Mother Church in Canada. We sincerely ask for continued interest and support, above all for prayerful intercession at the Throne of Grace that the Mission be so led by God's guidance and strengthened by His grace that a harvestful witness shall be made to Him whom to know and to serve is eternal life.

JAMES DUNN,
Acting Chairman of Mission Council.

MISSIONARIES AT PRESENT LABOURING IN OUR FOREIGN FIELDS

BHIL FIELD.

* Dr. John Buchanan *** Rev. F. C. Knox * Miss Christine Maxwell Miss M. H. Williamson * Miss Iris Errey, R.N. Miss Mary Sherrick, B.A.	Amkhut, via Dohad, Central India.
Rev. Clarence L. Wood Mrs. Clarence L. Wood	Alirajpur, via Dohad, Central India.
Mr. A. Earl Toombs Mrs. A. Earl Toombs	Barwani, via Mhow, Central India.
Rev. Charles P. Young Mrs. Charles P. Young	Mendha, Bhabra, via Dohad, Central India.
Rev. D. E. McDonald Mrs. D. E. McDonald Miss Isabel McConnell, R.N. Miss Ellen I. Douglas Miss Bessie MacMurchy, R.N. Dr. Wm. R. Quinn Mrs. Wm. R. Quinn	Jobat, via Dohad, Central India.

JHANSI MISSION.

Rev. A. A. Lowther Mr. Arthur Hawtin Mrs. Arthur Hawtin Mr. Angus MacKay Mrs. Angus MacKay Mr. John L. Cheshire Mrs. John L. Cheshire Miss Annie Lee Whatling Miss Irene Stringer Miss Lily A. Simpson Miss E. M. Magee * Dr. Elizabeth Thurrott	Jhansi, U.P., India.

FORMOSA.

Dr. G. Gushue-Taylor Mrs. G. Gushue-Taylor Dr. Eugene Stevens Mrs. Eugene Stevens Dr. Llew. Little Mrs. Llew. Little Rev. H. A. MacMillan Mrs. H. A. MacMillan Miss Ada E. Adams Miss Margaret M. Ramsay Miss Ethel M. Chisholm, R.N. Miss Isobel Taylor * Miss Hildur Hermanson Miss Ruth Heighton Miss Mildred Weir	Taihoku, Formosa, Japan.

FORMOSA.

Mr. George W. Mackay Mrs. George W. Mackay Rev. James Dickson Mrs. James Dickson Miss Alma M. Burdick Miss Dorothy C. Douglas	Tansui, Formosa, Japan.

MANCHURIA.

Rev. Allan Reoch Mrs. Allan Reoch Rev. E. H. Johnson Mrs. E. H. Johnson *** Mrs. Langdon Gehman *** Miss Helena W. Gibbs	Szepingkai, Manchuria, via Japan.
* Rev. W. G. Davis * Mrs. W. G. Davis	Taonan, Manchuria, via Japan.

JAPAN, AMONG KOREANS.

Rev. L. L. Young ** Mrs. L. L. Young Rev. Malcolm Mackay Miss Ethel G. MacDonald Miss Jean C. McLean ** Miss Gladys Murphy Miss Mary Ellen Anderson	Nagamine Yama, Oishi, Kobe, Japan.

SOUTH CHINA.

Rev. Z. K. Zia, Christian Literature Society	Shanghai, China.

BRITISH GUIANA.

Rev. James Dunn Mrs. James Dunn Miss Olwen Davies	New Amsterdam, Berbice.
Rev. DeCourcy H. Rayner Mrs. DeCourcy H. Rayner	Suddie, Essequibo.
Rev. David Marshall Mrs. David Marshall Miss Anne Storey	Georgetown, Demerara.

* On furlough. ** Sick leave. *** Under appointment.

REPORT OF WORK OF THE WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY (E.D.)

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Women's Missionary Society, Eastern Division, of The Presbyterian Church in Canada respectfully submits a report of the work of the past year.

Conditions in our field of endeavour are such that of necessity progress is slow and at times discouraging. Perhaps in no Synod in the whole Church were so many embryo congregations in 1925-26 compelled to erect new buildings, and thus become burdened with mortgage indebtedness. In but a few instances there were only minority groups left in the Maritime Provinces when the Presbyterian Church took stock after the disruption. It is an old story now, but our congregations are feeling the difficulties imposed. In many cases there is such a struggle necessary to maintain existence that missionary effort is relegated to a secondary place.

And yet, withal, in all our congregations one finds groups of women carrying on the work of the Women's Missionary Society, holding aloft the torch passed on by heroes of the Faith in these old Provinces by the Sea.

We submit a brief statistical report, but well we know that statistics can never give a true measure of the vital forces that underlie such a Society. We must read between the lines to learn of faithful effort, loving service, courage and achievement. Thus we ask that through your knowledge of the consecrated zeal and steadfast devotion of our members to all that the Missionary programme stands for, the record of the work of the Eastern Division of the Women's Missionary Society may seem to you worthy of a place in the story of the year's achievement of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

THE STATISTICS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Presbyterials	8
Auxiliaries	244
Membership	3,746
Average Attendance	1,826
Members Added	134
Life Members Added	26
Home Helpers	564
Copies of Message Taken	2,154
Boxes Sent	82

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR 1936-37

The Year's Disbursement for Foreign Missions	$ 8,845.00
Balance for Current Year	8,785.47
The Year's Disbursement for Home Missions	6,244.29
Balance for current year	6,019.13
Total Year's Disbursement	16,561.88
Balance for Current Year	14,804.60

(MRS. GEORGE E.) CAROLINE G. ROSS,
President Women's Missionary Society (E.D.).

Port Work.—Our port worker, Miss Fraser, always has some interesting stories for us as well as a busy record of the year's work. Nearly 7,000 passengers came into Canada through the Port of Halifax last year, some were able to secure employment with her help, and 120 unfortunate men and women, returning or deported to their own land, were supplied with food and clothing.

Her "Presbyterian Christmas Tree", now so famous, is made possible by W.M.S. and Y.P.S. members sending their varied gifts, which help to cheer many weary travellers. Extract from her report: "Last week, December 12th, the *Ansonia* docked, and, among others, there were twelve Church of Scotland missionaries going to Kobe, Japan. If you will look on the front page of your November *Record* you will find 'a prayer for missionaries'. I presented the ten copies I had to these missionaries. Dr. Legatt, who seemed to be in charge said 'Thank you very much for this message in your *Record*, I think it was sent to us—anyway, we shall take it with us to Kobe as a shield and buckler'."

Deaconesses.—We have 5 graduate deaconesses now employed in our W.M.S. (E.D.), besides Miss Fraser, our Halifax port worker, Mrs. John Campbell, matron at New Carlisle Residence, and Miss Gladys Murphy, our returned missionary, now working in Noel Road, etc., until she is able to go back to her chosen work in Kobe, Japan.

As we reported last year, the Board, feeling that many of our scattered congregations do not often have the privilege of a visit from a deaconess, appointed Miss Sylvester a deaconess-at-large, and also extended Miss Mary MacKenzie's field. The latter spent the month of September in the northern part of Cape Breton where the National Park is being developed. She is also continuing her work in Broughton, Birch Grove, etc. Three very successful vacation Bible schools were conducted in her district in July.

Miss Sylvester worked in the Inverness Presbyterial, St. John and Miramichi and is now back in St. John Presbyterial, in a section where there are five preaching stations with no minister. She is conducting services, attending Sabbath Schools—reorganizing where they have lapsed, holding prayer-services, W.M.S. Mission Band and visiting sick, or in any way assisting the needy. From the many letters of appreciation received from remote districts it is felt that this new venture has been worth while, keeping smaller causes of our beloved Church in touch with its work and encouraging the weaker ones.

There is no need to repeat the kind of work done by each one of our faithful workers, it is all so similar.

At Chalmers Jack Mission—Colonial, Cape Breton.—Miss Marion MacLennan also teaches a day school of 45. Besides a secular education they have an hour of Bible Study daily. A better co-operation than usual is noted at this Mission.

Barnesville, Titusville, etc., New Brunswick.—Here Miss Florence MacNeill is labouring following Miss Estelle MacKenzie who was obliged to give up for a time.

In this section this work is much appreciated.

River Hebert East.—Miss Ruby Johnston has taken the place of Rev. Mr. Knight and is doing her best in the face of many difficulties and much indifference.

New Carlisle.—Mrs. Campbell is matron of this school home—a Christian home for Protestant boys and girls. All students were successful in their examinations last year. This year there are ten students and a teacher boarding in the Presbyterian residence. The idea of this home is to keep our Protestant students, living in Roman Catholic communities under Protestant influence and instruction.

Bursaries.—Five bursaries amounting to $350 have been given this year to young men looking forward to the ministry.

We have four deaconesses not employed at the present time, Miss Estelle MacKenzie, Miss Margaret Ross, who was compelled to take a year's rest also Miss

Isabel MacDonald, who had to take a period of rest and our last graduate, Miss Anne MacVicar.

(Mrs. Alex.) A. Redmond Macdonald,
Home Mission Secretary (E.D.).

REPORT OF FOREIGN MISSIONARY SECRETARY

Japan

Our Foreign Mission work seems to be progressing with all our missionaries back to their respective fields except Miss Gladys Murphy of Kobe, Japan, who is still in Canada and is now engaged in Home Mission work. We are hoping that Miss Murphy's health will soon permit her to go back to the field as she seems peculiarly fitted for the work in Japan. Our allocation to Japan this year is $6,100 and in addition we are paying Miss Murphy an honorarium of $500 which would otherwise have gone to Japan.

At the Council meeting held in Kobe, January 20th, 1938, all the missionaries were present and the estimates were made out for the year and their work arranged for. Mr. McKay having passed his final language examination is now a senior missionary.

British Guiana

Our work in British Guiana as reported by Miss Storey is going on splendidly. Mr. Marshall arrived back February 11th and will no doubt take a great deal of responsibility which Miss Storey in his absence has had to bear alone.

Our allocation to British Guiana is $1,400. In addition to this we are giving the $5,000 held by the Church Treasurer to Rev. David Marshall to help build the Burns Memorial Church, and also we are paying our two native deaconesses out of the interest allowed us on the $5,000. These deaconesses, Miss Edna Jhanki and Miss Violet Debidin, are doing a splendid work among the children and young people and we are justly proud of them. Altogether the work down there appears to be in splendid shape, but needs the prayers and support of the home church.

(Mrs. Lorne E.) Blanche R. Teasdale,
Foreign Missionary Secretary (E.D.).

NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF STAFF OF W.M.S. (E.D.)

Deaconesses:	
Miss Mary A. MacKenzie	Glace Bay, Nova Scotia
Miss Susan Sylvester	New Glasgow, Nova Scotia
Miss Ruby Johnston	River Hebert East, Nova Scotia
Miss Estelle MacKenzie	3 May Street, Glace Bay, Nova Scotia
Miss Florence MacNeill	Titusville, New Brunswick
Miss Marion MacLennan	Sydney Mines, Nova Scotia
Port Worker:	
Miss Lena Fraser	15 South Park St., Halifax, Nova Scotia
Matron New Carlisle Residence:	
Mrs. John Campbell	New Carlisle, Quebec
Koreans in Japan:	
Miss Gladys Murphy (on furlough)	Lake Egmont, Nova Scotia
Miss Ethel MacDonald	Nagamine Yama, Oishi, Kobe, Japan
British Guiana:	
Miss Anne Storey	Box 288, Georgetown, British Guiana
Miss Edna Jhanki	Box 288, Georgetown, British Guiana
Miss Violet Debidin	Box 288, Georgetown, British Guiana

REPORT OF WORK OF THE WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY (W.D.)

The Council Executive of the Women's Missionary Society (W.D.) respectfully submits the following report of its work for 1937.

Organization

The Women's Missionary Society (W.D.) is made up of a Council with a stated membership from each province, a Council Executive of 35 members meeting weekly, 6 Provincial Societies, 41 Presbyterials, 734 Auxiliaries, 272 Young Women's Groups, 319 Girls' Organizations, 564 Mission Bands, 58 Associate Societies, 8,004 Home Helpers. The total membership stands at 45,102. A Field Secretary gives her time to work among the Senior Auxiliaries, a Young Women's Travelling Secretary and an Assistant Young Women's Travelling Secretary to the work in the Young Women's Auxiliaries, while a Girls' Work Secretary divides her time between the Board of Sabbath Schools and the Women's Missionary Society.

Finances

The estimate for 1937 was $151,000.

Receipts

Provincial Societies	$142,128.18
Individual Subscriptions and Refunds	1,719.47
Government Grants for Indian Schools	40,141.61
Total Receipts	$183,989.26
Of the above receipts the Government Grants for Indian Schools are not available for General Estimates	40,141.61
Receipts for Estimates	$143,847.65
Receipts for Estimates, 1936	$148,658.71
Receipts for Estimates, 1937	143,847.65
Decrease in Receipts	$4,811.06
Estimate to Provincials, 1937	$151,000.00
Received from Provincials	142,128.18
	$8,871.82
Disbursements for 1937	$185,598.26
Less Indian Grants	40,141.61
Disbursements	$145,456.65
Disbursements for 1936	134,936.29
Increase	$10,520.36
Disbursements for 1937	$145,456.65
Receipts	143,847.65
Deficit	$1,609.00

Although we closed the year with a deficit of $1,609.00, it should be stated that at the end of the year all salaries had been met, all grants had been given the fields as promised, and all bills had been paid. The estimate for 1938 has been set at $151,000 divided as follows:

National Missions	
Hospitals	$ 9,650.00
Completing the building of Rocky Mountain House Hospital (to be taken from Trust Funds)	7,120.00
Presbyterian Residences	4,860.00
Indian Schools (exclusive of Government Grants)	14,883.00
Chinese in Canada	8,935.00
Welcome and Welfare and Deaconesses	16,017.50
French Mission Work, Montreal	300.00
Supplies	1,300.00
Library	150.00
Lantern Slides	75.00
Total of National Missions	$63,290.50
Overseas Missions	
Bhil Field, India	$18,268.00
Jhansi Field, India	14,051.00
Ludhiana Medical College	50.00
St. Christopher's Training School, Madras	100.00
Formosa	18,193.00
Manchuria and South China	1,400.00
Koreans in Japan	8,524.00
British Guiana	1,275.00
Total of Overseas Missions	$61,861.00

The balance of the estimate is divided amongst the Departments of Publications, Organization, Student, Candidates, New Missionaries, Administration, Pensions, Christian Literature, Grants to Knox College, the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home, and the Canadian School of Missions.

STATEMENT OF TRUST FUNDS AS ON DECEMBER 31ST, 1937

Special Retiring Fund for Missionaries	$31,717.61
Legacy Fund	12,499.77
Sustaining Fund	29,138.82
Formosa Forward Movement Fund	14,400.44
Special Fund	10,100.68

NATIONAL MISSION WORK

HOSPITALS

Another successful year's work is completed! Canora has had another very busy year, with more admissions than formerly, and both our hospitals report finances in a healthy condition.

Vegreville, Alta.—The Rolland M. Boswell Hospital reports 321 patients treated: 183 medical, 89 surgical, and 49 obstetrical cases. A gift of a General Electric Inductotherm from the Hospital Aid, and a cheque for $35.00 towards the cost of surgical instruments were gratefully received.

Canora, Sask.—The Hugh Waddell Memorial Hospital reports the largest number of admissions since the hospital was opened, an increase of 267 over last year. A considerable number of repairs and renewals were found necessary during the year. These were financed from the hospital receipts. Equipment was added, practically all of it being done by our local Hospital Aid.

Rocky Mountain House, Alta.—The challenge to build a hospital at Rocky Mountain House, Alberta, was accepted by the Women's Missionary Society. A beautiful site was secured and an up-to-date, ten-bed hospital is now well under way.

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCES

Interesting reports have been received from the three Residences, showing splendid work accomplished.

Vegreville, Alta.—Miss Isabel Gibson retired from the position of matron of the Residence in September and Mrs. M. S. Blackburn was appointed to the position. There were eighteen boys and nine girls enrolled in the Boys' Residence. It was found necessary to open the Girls' Residence on October 1st, with Miss Violet Walker as assistant.

Huntingdon, Que.—In September last Mrs. Marion Laramie took over the office of Superintendent of the Residence, Mrs. Gouldthorpe having found it necessary to be relieved of her duties for a year. Twenty-six pupils were enrolled during the year. The school record of the children has been good and the finances are in a healthy condition.

Saskatoon, Sask.—The Residence has been filled throughout the school year, and during the summer months many were in attendance at the Summer School and enjoyed the hospitality of the Residence. Much benefit is derived from the fellowship during these meetings.

INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOLS

During the past year there has been evidence of more interest and a keener sense of responsibility in regard to Indian work in Canada. The Women's Missionary Society (W.D.) has charge of Indian work in three centres.

Mistawasis, Sask.—Here a Day School for the younger children is in charge of the Rev. W. W. Moore. Thirty-three children are enrolled. A Sabbath School and a Young People's Society have been carried on successfully. The women on the Reserve are doing art and craft work with the approval and encouragement of the Department of Indian Affairs. Mr. Moore hopes to find a market for these products. Warm clothing provided by the W.M.S. has been distributed. Chief Dreaver was awarded the King's Coronation medal.

Birtle Indian School, Birtle, Man.—Rev. E. H. Lockhart and Mrs. Lockhart are in charge. With the help of an efficient staff, Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart are striving to give the Indian children a Christian preparation for life. Activity in fighting trachoma and tuberculosis is helping to build strong bodies. In addition to the usual school curriculum and practical house and farm work, instruction is being given in fret-work, basketry and needle-work. A choir helps in the Sunday service, which is held in the School.

Cecilia Jeffrey Indian School, Kenora, Ont.—Rev. E. W. Byers and Mrs. Byers are in charge, one hundred and forty-seven enrolled. The grand jury reported the School well managed and the pupils contented. Two girls from this School are now in residence at the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home in Toronto and are taking vocational courses to prepare them for missionary work on the reserve at Kenora.

CHINESE IN CANADA

The work of the Women's Missionary Society among our Chinese people in Canada has never been more encouraging. The people seem to be in a more receptive mood than ever before, and the trouble in China has drawn them nearer to us. One thing we should like especially to point out is that, with all their wonderful generosity to the war relief funds, their allocations to the Budget of our Church and to the Women's Missionary Society have been fully met, and, where no allocation was made, their givings have been increased. We regret to have to report the death, in Toronto, last June, of Miss Esther H. Armstrong, our head worker, but with the assistance of Dr. Jessie MacBean and Miss Helena Gibbs, our missionary-designate to Manchuria,

the work was carried on. Every Mission reports an encouraging year and we look forward to the time when we shall have work in every province across Canada.

Welcome and Welfare

The aim of this department is to extend a welcome to the newcomers from other countries, to welcome to the Church all families and individuals moving into the district, to send letters to those who cannot be reached by visits, to report promptly the removal of all persons from one congregation to another community, so that they may be welcomed and helped to find their place in the Church's activities, to visit the sick in the hospital and afterwards in the home and so bring comfort and cheer to the needy ones.

This aim has been continuously in the minds of the 613 Welcome and Welfare Secretaries during the past year, while they made 21,492 visits, wrote 2,172 letters, reported 474 removals and linked up 944 persons with the various branches of the work of the Church.

Deaconess Department

The Deaconess Department of the Women's Missionary Society continues to serve the Church through its deaconesses in both city and rural communities. Fourteen workers are ministering to the spiritual needs of the people in various parts of our Dominion from the Province of British Columbia to the Province of Quebec.

In the Peace River district there are at present three deaconesses and one nurse deaconess working, Miss Grigor at Prestville, Miss Rollo at Brownvale, Miss Gordon at Pouce Coupe and Riverside, and Nurse Madill at Last Lake. Miss Gordon's services were asked for the winter months when no student was available. Miss Verlie Evans, who was appointed to the Dixonville field for six months, remained there until the end of the year.

A small but comfortable house was built at Last Lake for our nurse there and Miss Todd's house at Brownvale was purchased for the use of the deaconess.

Miss Lily Macarthur, an experienced deaconess, has rendered valuable service and assistance to Rev. C. J. MacKay in opening Presbyterian services to the people of Kirkland Lake.

It has been deemed advisable to discontinue "port work" in Montreal for the winter months, at least, thus leaving the services of Miss Iris Munro at the disposal of the Presbytery of Montreal.

Transfer of deaconesses has been necessary during the year. Miss Hazel Macdonald, who was working in Red Deer Presbytery, is now in Winnipeg, and Miss Helen Ross, formerly of Saskatoon, is in Regina. Saskatoon is being ably served by Miss Mabel Booth.

A paragraph from the report of Mrs. Charles Steinmetz, who assists her husband in the Hungarian work in Toronto, is unique in so much as it is a report of a struggling group of New Canadians endeavouring to build a church home for themselves. It reads: "The young people, too, are continuing to 'walk with God', maintaining splendid weekly meetings. This group has a missionary interest in the Peace River project of the Church. On Monday night, January 17th, we intend having a missionary night when the offering will be sent in for the Peace River project. To us this is very, very wonderful, knowing their circumstances."

Reports such as this give us encouragement to go on sowing the seed, but leaving the results to Him who never faileth.

Supply Department

Reports received from our six Provincial Supply Secretaries indicate that our members have given generously of their time and talents in the preparation of the supplies required for the various departments of our work.

1. Our hospitals at Canora, Saskatchewan, and Vegreville, Alberta, were provided with the supplies required for hospital use, and a quantity of clothing for distribution.

2. Residences for boys and girls at Huntingdon, Quebec, New Liskeard, Ontario, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, and Vegreville, Alberta, were provided with linen and bedding, and, where necessary, with clothing for children. (The Residence at New Liskeard, Ontario, was closed during the year, and all supplies transferred to the Cecilia Jeffrey Indian School, Kenora, Ontario.)

3. Indian Schools. Outfits for the children attending Cecilia Jeffrey School, Kenora, Ontario, and Birtle Residential School, Birtle, Manitoba, were provided; and all necessary clothing for the children at Mistawasis Day School, Saskatchewan.

4. Deaconess Department. Bales of clothing for distribution, and Christmas gifts for children attending Sunday School, were sent to fourteen deaconesses in various parts of Canada.

5. Mission Fields and Indian Reserves. On recommendation of the synodical missionaries, bales of clothing and quilts were shipped to 65 mission fields and Indian Reserves—Quebec 1, Ontario 10, Manitoba 11, Saskatchewan 31, Alberta 11, British Columbia 1.

The value of supplies is estimated at $25,656.14 plus $1,142.40 cash for boots for children in Indian schools.

The sum of $1,250.26 was expended on furnishings and additional supplies.

The Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways again granted free transportation on bales of second-hand clothing for distribution on the mission fields of our Church.

OVERSEAS MISSION WORK

British Guiana

The Berbice Girls' High School, under the Principalship of Miss Olwen Davies, reports an enrolment of forty-six students, an increase of sixteen over the previous year. In this increase, which was due partly to the addition of a preparatory division, the East Indians had a good representation. The growing desire on the part of East Indian parents for a secondary education for their daughters is very encouraging.

The enlarged staff of five teachers has enabled Miss Davies to devote more time to visiting the homes, conducting girls' and young women's groups, and superintending Sunday Schools in and about New Amsterdam.

Japan-Korean Work

During the greater part of 1937 there were but two W.M.S. missionaries on the field, Miss MacDonald (E.D.) and Miss MacLean, of our Society. Miss Anderson was on furlough and Mrs. Young in Canada because of ill-health. Rev. Dr. Kim, however, helped in many ways by addressing special meetings and doing some of the work Rev. Dr. Young would have done.

The important event of the year was the arrival of the long-awaited nurse, Miss Lee. While she nurses workers when necessary, her main mission is the care of sick children in poor homes, giving advice to mothers regarding sanitation and the proper care of their babies. She soon wins their confidence, then tells them of the Great Physician. Miss Lee, also, gives helpful health talks at W.M.S. meetings and mothers' meetings, and first-aid instruction to kindergarten teachers. She is eager to serve and has already proved a blessing in the mission.

The W.M.S. has now forty-one Auxiliaries, but only in the Kobe-Osaka district has a Presbyterial been formed. At the second annual meeting of this Presbyterial eighteen out of nineteen Auxiliaries were represented. Thus far their offerings have

gone to help local churches and to pay Biblewomen's salaries, but during 1938 they will try to increase offerings, so that a missionary Biblewoman may be sent to northern Japan.

As the Korean workers cannot afford a yearly vacation, the missionaries did a new and kindly act in using money given for personal pleasures to rent a house on an island for a month during the hot season where these workers might enjoy a short restful holiday at very little cost to them. It proved worth while, for those who went returned rested and invigorated. Such unselfish acts are typical of missionaries in general.

Manchuria and South China

As there are not yet any workers under our Society in Manchuria, there is no special report on the work, but attention is directed to the report on the Canadian Presbyterian Mission in the Church report. We gave our usual grant of $400 for Biblewomen being trained in Mrs. Davis' classes, and $100 for Christian literature; and also a legacy of $400 given for Biblewomen in Manchuria, and a special gift of $50 for Christian literature in Manchuria.

We continued our grant of $100 to the Christian Literature Society, Shanghai. Our sympathy has been with its workers in this year of war, and we rejoice with them that, although work has had of necessity to be curtailed, they have still been able to carry on.

Our usual grant of $1,000 was given for evangelistic work under the Church of Christ in China. Mrs. Burkwall is on furlough, but during her absence from South China the grant is sent to Rev. A. J. Fisher, D.D. Our grant has made it possible to engage another Biblewoman, a graduate of the Nanking Bible School for Women. All missionaries and other Christian workers have been labouring under great difficulty.

North Formosa

Although passing through a difficult time of crisis because of the political situation in the Orient, the Church has gone forward. Somewhat restricted in its activities by force of circumstances, it has confined its evangelism largely to personal work, rather than to public meetings. In this and other activities all our missionaries have faithfully co-operated. Mention may be made of a few special phases of work—extending evangelistic teaching among the native tribes; ministers' and ministers' wives' conferences; advanced Bible Study groups; Bible memorizing programmes, Daily Vacation Bible Schools; the study of world missions by the Women's Missionary Society of North Formosa; hospital evangelism; classes in leadership.

In every department and at every opportunity our missionaries are emphasizing the importance of training leaders. This is the present real necessity in building up the native Church.

W.M.S. missionaries have concentrated on more progressive work in the Women's School. Realizing the need of more advanced education, a senior course has been established for High School graduates, which includes training in home economics, public health principles, kindergarten methods, and leadership of girls' groups.

Church kindergartens need better schoolrooms and a greater number of qualified teachers. In these schools, as in every other department, self-support is stressed in the management. When the kindergartens are well established they will make a great contribution to the Church in Formosa.

India

The Jhansi reports are very encouraging. Attendance at the Helen Macdonald School in 1937 is larger than ever before. Co-operation with other missions is marked by the fact that thirteen senior girls are away in schools for advanced training; of

these two are training as nurses in the American Women's Union Hospital. The resources of this Hospital in Jhansi are always at the disposal of our missionaries and Dr. Girardeau's kindness and generosity are noted with appreciation.

Nurse Miriam has completed seven years of Christian service under Miss Simpson in our dispensary.

Ten young men, twenty-six girls and women, and thirty-six older boys in our school made profession of their faith in Christ after the November *mela* when services were conducted by Mr. Bakht Singh, noted evangelist. The result already is a totally different spirit pervading the whole of the work.

Our first W.M.S. church building in a foreign land is the result of the saving and effort of Miss Whatling and the native Christians at Baragaon. It is a tiny place, but used daily and proving a great blessing.

Jobat.—The disappointment of Dr. Winchester's having to return to Canada owing to illness was offset by the arrival of Dr. Quinn, and Miss McConnell reports a great increase in the number of patients admitted, also the opening of the Mary Broadbent Training Home for Nurses and Biblewomen.

Amkhut.—The greatest need is for a new boys' hostel. Out of 160 pupils in Amkhut school there are more boys than girls, and these cannot be suitably housed in the present accommodation.

The formation of a Bhil Work Council, composed of missionaries of all denominations doing work among the Bhils, is a forward step arousing great interest.

In both our fields there is definite evidence of a new desire among the people to embrace the Christian faith.

Student Department

The Student Department tries with partial success to discover and provide a welcome for Presbyterian young people who leave home to study or seek nursing training in schools and colleges elsewhere. Letters, visits, and invitations from Church groups and individual members to these incoming students help to keep unbroken their link with their own Church. The W.M.S. is represented on, and gives a grant to, the Missionary Education Council of the Student Christian Movement, whose Secretary has opportunities of bringing individual students into touch with the Student and Candidate Departments. Two Chinese women students have also been given financial help.

Candidates

Sixty-eight candidates came into this department last year. There were twenty-four nurses, nineteen teachers, eight deaconesses, two Bible school graduates, and fifteen other young people, each with some equipment for service.

During the year thirteen appointments were made to national work. These were: Miss Gertrude Rollo, Vancouver, to deaconess work in Brownvale, Alberta; Miss Gertrude Ione Gordon, Medicine Hat, Alberta, to deaconess work in the Pouce Coupe (B.C.) district, with headquarters at Riverside; Mrs. Marion I. McEwen Laramie, R.R. 5, Clinton, Ontario, to the School Residence in Huntingdon, Quebec; Miss Louise A. Reith, M.A., Tara, Ontario, to the teaching staff of the Cecilia Jeffrey Indian Residential School, Kenora, Ontario; Mr. John Archibald Carmichael, Nee-pawa, Manitoba, to the teaching staff of the Indian Residential School, Birtle, Manitoba; Miss Viola Hill, Lenore, Manitoba, as primary teacher in the same school; Miss Frances Guthrie Lockhart, Birtle, Manitoba, as Girls' Matron, and Miss Margaret Robertson, Toronto, formerly Superintendent of the New Liskeard School Residence, as Boys' Matron, in the Indian Residential School, Birtle, Manitoba;

Miss Kathleen Stewart, West Monkton, Ontario, as nurse in the Birtle School; Miss Ida Wilson, Redvers, Saskatchewan, to the teaching staff of the Cecilia Jeffrey Indian Residential School, Kenora, and Miss Muriel Collie as supervisor in the same school; Miss Irene Margaret McRae, Wellwood, Manitoba, recently on the staff of the Hugh Waddell Memorial Hospital, Canora, Saskatchewan, as Superintendent of the new hospital to be opened July 1st, 1938, in Rocky Mountain House, Alberta, and Miss Verlie Evans, of Vancouver, as a staff nurse in this new hospital.

Miss Edith M. Magee, B.A., of Squamish, British Columbia, an accepted candidate for service abroad, planned to spend a year in the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home, Toronto. Because of the urgent need for another teacher in the Helen Macdonald School, in Jhansi, Miss Magee agreed to postpone the year of missionary preparation and left for India in the autumn.

PUBLICATIONS

In the *Glad Tidings* is published information about the Society's work in Canada and overseas and, to some extent, about the missionary work of the Church, some news of the branches that make up the Society, and something on matters of general missionary interest. In April, 1937, the magazine was enlarged by the addition of four pages. The number of paid subscriptions for 1937 was 19,398.

The Publications Department issued two study books, *God's Children* for Mission Bands and *Since 1761* for Girls' Organizations. A choice of a study book was offered to the Senior Auxiliaries, *Treasures in the Earth* or *Christianity in the Eastern Conflicts*.

A loose-leaf biography book, containing snap-shots and short biographies of our missionaries, was arranged and a number of sets sold. Packets of material on our work in British Guiana, on our hospital work in Canada, on the Bhil field, and on the work among the Canadian Indians, were assembled and loaned at a small charge. New free leaflet helps were: "Our Supply Department", "Prayer", "Affiliation Service for Girls", "Life Membership Department". Reprints of free helps: "What, Exactly, is the W.M.S.?", "Prayer Cards", "Library Secretary", "Mission Band Membership Cards". Book lists were prepared for Auxiliaries and for Mission Bands and inserted in the study books, while mimeographed programme projects were inserted in the Girls' study books.

LANTERN SLIDES

Reports from the provinces show a continued interest in Lantern Slides. There are nineteen sets now available, including four for junior groups. Reported showings: Ontario 211, Maritimes 18, Quebec 57, Manitoba and Saskatchewan 17, Alberta 15, British Columbia number of showings not reported—Total 318. During the past year no new sets were issued, but plans were made to revise and bring up to date the present sets. The set on Manchuria has just been completed with an addition of some thirty new slides. The only expense to any organization using these slides is the express charges both ways.

LIBRARY

A marked improvement is noted in the Library Department for 1937. Libraries were established at Dixonville, Prestville, Grande Prairie, in Alberta; at Cranberry Portage, in Manitoba; at Geraldton, Tomstown, Magnetawan, and Vernon, in Ontario. In some provinces travelling libraries went to outlying districts.

Alberta sent out 3,912 lbs. of books, magazines and church papers. British Columbia sent to relief camps, coast missions, logging camps, and individuals, 2,858 magazines and books, and 5,727 other pieces of literature, including Sunday School papers, leaflets, and Bibles. Manitoba sent over 1,800 magazines to McKellar, Red Cross Sanitarium, Red Rock, Geraldton, Rolling River Reserve, and Le Pas. Over 266 organizations in Ontario assisted in the Library work, sending pulpit Bibles,

Bibles, Testaments and hymn books. Eighty boxes of reading matter went to lumber camps, 302 to missionaries and deaconesses for distribution, and 1,416 parcels were mailed to individuals. Quebec gave magazines to 17 city institutions, 100 books to Tyndale House, and sent 6 cartons of books and more than 1,000 magazines to the West. Saskatchewan distributed 358 lbs. of reading matter to country points, 375 lbs. of Sunday School papers and magazines, and sent 34 large bundles to the northern part of the province.

STAFF

Workers on the W.M.S. Staff in 1937: Overseas Missionaries 27, National Missionaries 56, Field Secretaries 4, Office Staff 7.

GENERAL SUMMARY

Provincial Societies	6
Presbyterials	41
Auxiliaries	734
Young Women's Groups	272
Girls' Organizations	319
Mission Bands	564
Associate Societies	58
Total Number of Branches	1,947
Life Members	518
Junior Members and Seals	646
Honorary Members	31
In Memoriam Subscriptions	58
Subscriptions to *Glad Tidings*	19,398
Value of Literature Sold	$3,672.57
Membership in Auxiliaries	16,233
Membership in Young Women's Groups	5,195
Membership in Girls' Organizations	3,763
Membership in Mission Bands	11,907
Home Helper Members	8,004
Total Membership	45,102
Total Contribution from Provincial Societies, per Treasurer's Statement	$142,128.18

MARGARET D. GORDON,
Recording Secretary.

BEATRICE S. MCLENNAN,
President.

NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF W.M.S. STAFF

NATIONAL

INDIANS

Cecilia Jeffrey, Kenora, Ont.
Mr. E. W. Byers, Principal.
Mrs. E. W. Byers, Matron, and Staff.

Birtle, Man.
Rev. E. H. Lockhart, Principal.
Mrs. E. H. Lockhart, Matron, and Staff.

Mistawasis Reserve, Sask.
Rev. W. Moore, Teacher, Leask, Sask.

HOSPITALS

Hugh Waddell Memorial Hospital, Canora, Sask.
Miss Mary W. Cuddy, Superintendent, and five assistant nurses.

Rolland M. Boswell Hospital, Vegreville, Alta.
Miss A. L. McPherson, Superintendent, and three assistant nurses.

DEACONESS—WELCOME AND WELFARE

Brownvale, Alta.
Miss Gertrude Rollo.

Hamilton, Ont.
Miss M. Allan, 43 London Ave. N.

Kirkland Lake, Ont.
Miss L. Macarthur, c/o Mr. J. W. Henry, Wright-Hargreaves.

Last Lake, Alta.
Miss Helen Madill.

Montreal, Que.
Miss Iris Munro, Apt. 1, 2447 Madison Avenue.

Prestville, Alta.
Miss Margaret Grigor.

Regina, Sask.
Miss Helen Ross, 2126 Osler Ave.

Saskatoon, Sask.
Miss Mabel Booth, 916 Spadina Cresc.

Shaughnessy, Alta.
Miss Frieda Matthews.

Toronto, Ont.
Miss Mary Murray, 32 Dalton Road.
Mrs. Charles Steinmetz, 564 Spadina Avenue, (part time).

Vancouver, B.C.
Miss S. V. Scott, 624-10th Ave. W.

Winnipeg, Man.
Miss Hazel Macdonald, Suite 11, 269 Young St.

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCES

Huntingdon, Que.
Mrs. A. C. Gouldthorpe, Superintendent.

Saskatoon, Sask.
Miss Elizabeth Geddes, Superintendent, 916 Spadina Crescent.

Vegreville, Alta.
Mrs. M. S. Blackburn, Matron.

CHINESE IN CANADA

Montreal, Que.
Miss Agnes Dickson, Apt. 6, 3420 Ste. Famille St.
Miss Elsie Lee, c/o Miss Agnes Dickson (part time).

Toronto, Ont.
Mrs. H. O. T. Burkwall, 47 Rusholme Park Crescent.
Miss Lily Yeung, 175 Dundas St. W.
Mrs. W. F. Adams, 53 Millwood Rd., (part time).

Vancouver, B.C.
Miss Ruth Yeandle, 2039 Creelman Ave.
Mrs. G. P. Louie, c/o Miss Yeandle.

Victoria, B.C.
Miss Gertrude Scott, 1811 Belmont Ave.
Miss Grace Lee, 942 Pandora Ave.

TRAVELLING SECRETARIES

Miss P. B. Lamont, Field Secretary.
Miss Laura K. Pelton, Young Women's Secretary. 100 Adelaide St. West, Toronto.
Miss T. Negoro, Assistant Young Women's Secretary. 100 Adelaide St. West, Toronto.
Miss Violet Tennant, Girls' Work Secretary. 100 Adelaide St. West, Toronto.

OVERSEAS

INDIA

Bhil Field.

Miss Christine Maxwell
Miss Marion Williamson
Miss Iris M. Errey
Miss Gertrude M. Sherrick
— Amkhut, Alirajpur, Central India.

Miss Isabel McConnell
Miss Bessie M. MacMurchy
Miss Ellen I. Douglas
— Canadian Mission Hospital, Jobat, via Dohad, Central India.

Jhansi Mission.

Miss Annie Lee Whatling
Miss Irene Stringer
Miss Lily A. Simpson
Dr. Elizabeth H. Thurrott
Miss Edith M. Magee
— The Presbyterian Mission, Jhansi, U.P., India.

FORMOSA

Miss Hildur K. Hermanson
Miss Margaret M. Ramsay
Miss Ethel M. Chisholm
Miss Mildred Weir
Miss Ruth Heighton
— Taihoku, Formosa, Japan.

Miss Ada E. Adams
Miss Isabel Taylor
Miss Alma M. Burdick
Miss Dorothy C. Douglas
— Tansui, Formosa, Japan.

JAPAN

Miss Jean C. MacLean
Miss Mary E. Anderson
— Nagamine Yama, Oishi Nada, Ku, Kobe, Japan.

BRITISH GUIANA

Miss Olwen Davies, B.A., Presbyterian Girls' High School, New Amsterdam, Berbice.

MANCHURIA

* Mrs. Langdon Gehman
* Miss Helena W. Gibbs

* New Missionaries leaving for Manchuria, August, 1938.

REPORT ON NOMINATIONS FOR POSITIONS OF HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION SECRETARIES

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

In accordance with the instructions given by the last General Assembly, the General Board of Missions requested the Presbyteries of the Church to forward nominations for the position of Home Mission Secretary.

The Executive Committee of the Board at a meeting held in September, after due consideration, and in accordance with the permission granted by the General Assembly, requested Presbyteries also to make nominations for the position of Foreign Mission Secretary.

A report was submitted to the General Board of Missions at its meeting in March, giving the nominations received up to that date. The following is a complete report of nominations received:—

NOMINATIONS FOR HOME MISSION SECRETARY

Rev. Wm. Barclay	Presbyteries of Guelph and Kootenay.
Rev. W. G. Brown	Presbyteries of London, Saskatoon, Algoma, Regina and Vindhiya.
Rev. W. A. Cameron, D.D.	Presbyteries of Peterborough, Chatham, Toronto, Stratford, Maitland, Winnipeg, Edmonton, Calgary, Westminster, Victoria, Lindsay and Moose Jaw.
Rev. W. M. Mackay	Presbyteries of Sarnia and Brandon.
Rev. Hugh Munroe, D.D.	Presbytery of Miramichi.
Rev. A. S. Reid, D.D.	Presbyteries of Cape Breton and Newfoundland, Saint John, Montreal, Glengarry, Lanark and Renfrew, Brockville, Paris, Quebec, Macleod and Superior.
Rev. Wm. Weir	Presbytery of Ottawa.
Rev. J. S. Shortt, D.D.	Presbytery of Barrie.
Rev. Jas. MacKay, D.D.	Presbytery of North Bay and Temiskaming.
Rev. Ross K. Cameron	Presbytery of Orangeville.

NOMINATIONS FOR FOREIGN MISSION SECRETARY

Rev. W. G. Brown	Presbyteries of Saint John, Prince Edward Island and Quebec.
Mr. W. F. Butcher	Presbyteries of Guelph and Edmonton.

Rev. A. A. Lowther	Presbyteries of Montreal, Lanark and Renfrew, Brockville, Peterborough, Toronto, Paris, Chatham, Maitland, Brandon, Westminster and Barrie.
Rev. J. M. Macgillivray	Presbytery of Sarnia.
Rev. Jas. MacKay, D.D.	Presbyteries of Winnipeg and Victoria.
Rev. A. S. Reid, D.D.	Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland.
Rev. A. D. Sutherland	Presbytery of Saskatoon.
Rev. Hugh Munroe, D.D.	Presbytery of Quebec.
Rev. W. A. Cameron, D.D.	Presbyteries of Vindhiya and Superior.
PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON AND NEWFOUNDLAND:	Nominates Dr. A. S. Reid for both positions.
PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU:	"Agreed to inform the Board of Missions that this Presbytery is opposed to the appointment of more than one Secretary to the Board of Missions at the present time, and in response to the request for nominations to these offices, agreed to make no nomination, because there is no evidence of a demand for such appointments."
PRESBYTERY OF HALIFAX AND LUNENBURG:	"The Court put itself on record as unanimously disapproving of the appointment of two Secretaries, that the creation of another office was hardly justified by the present state of the budget, and therefore only one Secretary for both Departments be appointed as heretofore, but made no nomination."
PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON:	"It was moved by Dr. S. Banks Nelson, seconded by Mr. M. A. Young that Presbytery respectfully declines to make any nomination on the ground: (*a*) That it is the judgment of this Court that a Secretary of the General Board of Missions is sufficient, and (*b*) That such appointment be made when the deficit now burdening the Church has been sufficiently reduced. There was a long and careful reasoning, and on being put to a vote the motion was carried."
PRESBYTERY OF LONDON:	"That the Presbytery approve of the principle of the nomination of two Secretaries if the funds of the Church will warrant it, but at present respectfully submit that the nomination and appointment of one Board and one Secretary is best."
PRESBYTERY OF STRATFORD:	"That Rev. W. A. Cameron be nominated for Home Mission Secretary, and that he be also responsible for Foreign Missions until the time when the Church is in a better financial position to appoint a Foreign Mission Secretary."

PRESBYTERY OF HURON:	"That in view of the continued indifference of our people to the budget, we are opposed to appointments to these positions."
PRESBYTERY OF CALGARY:	"Unanimously agreed that in view of the present financial conditions within the Church one Secretary be appointed for the Home and Foreign Mission Boards."
PRESBYTERY OF KOOTENAY:	No action was taken in the matter of the nomination of a Foreign Mission Secretary.
PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER:	Reasons were attached for the nominations.
PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY:	Overture to the Board of Missions *re* appointment of Secretary for Foreign Missions.
PRESBYTERY OF ORANGEVILLE:	Nominates Rev. F. G. Vesey to be Foreign Mission Secretary of the Assembly's Board, with the recommendation that Mr. Vesey continue as pastor of Parkdale Church giving part of his time to the work of the Board "and that he be granted financial assistance to secure help in the work of his congregation."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. MACNAMARA,
Clerk of Assembly.

THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Board of Management of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, begs to report for the year 1937-8 as follows:—

The temporal affairs of the College, apart from its financial position, are in excellent condition. The Student body, we believe, is happy and contended. The House staff is zealous and efficient and the House well and economically managed under the able administration of the House, Purchasing and Building Committee which, under the chairmanship of Reverend A. M. Hill, D.D., has shown a profit of $602.47 on the year's operations.

The physical condition of the College Buildings has been much improved in the past two years. Much yet remains to be done, however, especially to the David Morrice Hall, if and when funds become available for the purpose.

The financial position of the College still leaves much to be desired and despite the most careful management, your Board is obliged to shew a deficit for the year of $930.54. Had the College received the same allocation from the Budget funds as in the previous year, namely, $15,000.00, as the Finance Committee expected in preparing their budget, there would have been a small profit to set off against the deficits of former years; but budgeting for 1938-9 and counting again upon a reduced grant of $13,500.00, they are obliged to anticipate a further impairment of the College's shrinking surplus.

Furthermore your Board feels impelled, again and most respectfully, to draw to the attention of your Venerable Body the fact that the cuts in Professors' salaries made during the depth of the depression have never been restored, and that this is working a very great hardship to these devoted servants of the Church. Your Board feels that it is not sufficiently realized that while the cause of Theological Education is of paramount importance to the Church in supplying it with a well educated ministry of men of the right type, there is no branch of the Church which has suffered more severely from the disruption of 1925 than its Colleges. This is a matter which should receive the most serious consideration of your venerable body.

Your Board has to record with profound sorrow the loss through death of our late colleague and devoted servant of the Church, Mr. A. M. Nairn.

In conclusion your Board desires to express its sincere thanks for the sympathetic, courteous and helpful support it has received from the Board of Administration and its Committees during the past year, as also from the Permanent Officers of the Church.

The Financial Statement for the year 1937-1938 is appended herewith.

All of which is respectfully submitted by the Board of Management of the Presbyterian College, Montreal.

DAVID McGILL,
Honorary Secretary.

FRASER S. KEITH,
Chairman.

Montreal, Quebec, March 31st, 1938.

REPORT OF THE SENATE OF THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Senate of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, begs to submit the following report for the session 1937-1938.

The classes in Theology have been attended by twenty-seven students, while twenty-nine are registered in Arts in preparation for the study of Theology. Several men have also been working extra-murally for higher degrees. The class work has been highly satisfactory and the students give promise of zeal and efficiency for a cultured and evangelical ministry in the service of the Church.

The regular staff has again had the valuable assistance of Principal Emeritus D. J. Fraser as lecturer in New Testament, and of Professor O. W. Howard (Diocesan College) in Apologetics.

Mr. A. Robert George has admitted our students to his classes in Elocution, and Dr. A. M. Hill has given a course of lectures to the students of the third year in Religious Education. Special lectures in this subject were also given by Dr. W. M. Kannawin. The Senate deeply appreciates the important service rendered by these brethren.

The lecturing has been assigned as follows:—

Old Testament Language and Literature.
History of Old Testament Religion—Professor W. Harvey-Jellie.
New Testament Language and Literature.
Church Government—Principal Emeritus D. J. Fraser.
Systematic Theology—Principal F. Scott Mackenzie.
Church History and History of Religions—Professor Frank W. Beare.
Apologetics and Philosophy of Religion—Prof. O. W. Howard (Diocesan College).
Homiletics and Pastoral Theology—Principal F. Scott Mackenzie.
Religious Education—Dr. A. M. Hill.
Elocution—Mr. A. Robert George.

The registration of students was as follows:—

THEOLOGY, 3RD YEAR—*Eight:* Donald A. Campbell, B.A., William Scott Duncan, Murray Y. Fraser, B.A., James Morton Freeman, B.A., Charles Howe Maclean, B.A., William S. Sutherland, B.A., Glendon F. Partridge, B.A., Arthur C. Young, B.A.

THEOLOGY, 2ND YEAR—*Seven:* K. Cameron Allard, B.A., A. B. Casselman, B.A., Jonathan M. Fletcher, B.A., Thomas Lamont, Edwin G. MacDonald, B.A., Allison O. MacLean, Roderick MacLeod.

THEOLOGY, 1ST YEAR—*Ten:* Jesse E. Bigelow, George E. Bingham, Samuel Brown, Herbert M. Buntain, B.A., William H. Heustin, Harrison L. Lamond, Iver D. MacIver, Alexander Rattray, B.Sc., John A. Smith, B.A., George Stewart.

UNCLASSIFIED—*Two:* H. Crawford Scott, B.A., W. Harold Brown, M.A.

ARTS, 4TH YEAR—*Seven:* Jesse E. Bigelow, William Harold Heustin, Solomon H. Leung, James A. MacGowan, Randolph Douglas MacLean, Harold Keith Markell, Harry Scott Rodney.

ARTS, 3RD YEAR—*Seven:* Niall H. Burnett, James Collins, John O. Denny, Alfred Dodds, Allan Lorne MacKay, Wallace MacKinnon, John M. MacQueen.

ARTS, 2ND YEAR—*Eight:* Donald Gerrard Archibald, John Russell Carson, Harold Lloyd Henderson, Donald Crockett MacDonald, John Donald MacKay, J. Fraser MacMillan, Perry Francis Rockwood, Lawrence Edward Yates.

ARTS, 1ST YEAR—*Four:* James Eldon Andrews, A. Gordon Faraday, John Samuel McBridge, Joseph Richardson MacDonald.

ARTS, PARTIAL—*Three:* Harrison L. Lamond, Alaistair H. MacOdrum, Allister E. Morrison.

The Annual Convocation was held on Tuesday, April 12th, when the following prizes and scholarships were awarded and degrees conferred:—

PRIZES

ELOCUTION PRIZE

The MacVicar Memorial Church..... Thomas Lamont

PRIZE FOR GENERAL HIGH STANDING (3RD YEAR)

The William Kydd Prize..... James M. Freeman, B.A.

THE A. M. HILL PRIZE FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (3RD YEAR)

Charles Howe Maclean, B.A.

THE WILLIAM PATTERSON PRIZE FOR NEW TESTAMENT EXEGESIS (1ST YEAR)

Herbert M. Buntain, B.A.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Gaelic Scholarships

The Duncan Gordon.....	John M. MacQueen Roderick MacLeod

University Scholarships

The McCorkill.....	James Eldon Andrews Jesse E. Bigelow James Collins A. Gordon Faraday William Harold Heustin Solomon H. Leung Harold Keith Markell Lawrence E. Yates
The J. Dow.....	Niall H. Burnett John O. Denny Wallace MacKinnon J. Fraser MacMillan
The MacLaren.....	John M. MacQueen

Theological Scholarships

R. W. Dickie.....	James M. Freeman, B.A.
Mrs. George McDougall.....	Glendon F. Partridge, B.A.
S. R. MacLaren.....	Donald A. Campbell, B.A.
Presbyterian Publications.....	William S. Duncan Charles H. Maclean, B.A.
C. J. MacLaren.....	Thomas Lamont
Morrin College.....	Jonathan M. Fletcher, B.A.
Edward McDougall Morrice.....	Jesse E. Bigelow
H. G. Munro.....	Herbert A. Buntain, B.A.
Robert Munro (Missions).....	Jonathan M. Fletcher, B.A.
Joseph Anderson (English Bible).....	Samuel Brown

MEDAL

The Robert J. Drysdale Gold Medal for Church History

Glendon F. Partridge, B.A.

The degree of Bachelor of Divinity by examination was conferred upon the Reverend Charles Lorne Mitchell, B.A. The same degree (*ad eundem gradum*) was conferred upon the Reverend James Garrow Berry, M.A., B.D., who also received the degree of Doctor of Divinity by examination. The degree of Doctor of Divinity (*honoris causa*), was conferred upon the Reverend William Orr Mulligan, M.A., B.D., LL.B., and the Reverend William Patterson, B.A.

The new graduates were licensed by the Presbytery of Montreal, and were afterwards addressed by the Right Reverend Hugh Munroe, D.D., Moderator of the General Assembly, who took for his subject: "The Minister as Pastor and Presbyter."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. HARVEY-JELLIE,
Secretary of the Senate.

F. SCOTT MACKENZIE,
Principal.

Montreal, April 14th, 1938.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Montreal, 2nd March, 1938.

To the Finance Committee,
Presbyterian College,
Montreal.

Gentlemen:—

We have audited the Books and Accounts of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, for the year ended 31st January, 1938, and append hereto Balance Sheet as at that date, signed by us with reference hereto, and relative Statements.

We have accepted the Montreal Trust Company's Certificate as to the correctness of the amounts of the loans on First Mortgages held by them, and have verified by actual inspection the Stocks and Bonds on hand. We are informed that certain tax receipts in connection with the mortgaged properties have still to be produced to the Montreal Trust Company.

We hereby certify that the attached Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to give a true and correct view of the financial position of the College as at 31st January, 1938, according to the information and explanations given to us and as shown by the Books of the College.

Yours faithfully,

(Signed) MACINTOSH, ROBERTSON & PATERSON,
Chartered Accountants.

PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st JANUARY, 1938

Assets

College Buildings, Land, Furniture, etc.		$160,000.00
Improvements to Principal's Residence, *Less* Reserve		11,215.99
Library, Books and Equipment		10,000.00
		$181,215.99
Investments:—		
Loans on First Mortgages		$165,246.00
Stocks and Bonds*	$107,884.31	
Less Reserve	3,277.06	
		104,607.25
		$269,853.25
Cash (Uninvested Capital Funds)		$1,572.47
Interest Accrued to Date	$4,013.84	
Deferred Charges	2,121.82	
Cash in Bank and on Hand	643.30	
		$6,778.96
		$459,420.67

*(Market Value $108,079.50)

Liabilities

Accounts Payable and Accrued Charges	$1,394.12	
Loan—The Presbyterian Church in Canada	2,500.00	
		$ 3,894.12
Endowments:—		
Special for Professors' Chairs	$152,682.88	
Hugh Watson	7,320.38	
General	95,382.31	
Scholarships	43,806.58	
Library	1,904.68	
		$301,096.83
Reserves for Future Appropriations:—		
Scholarships	$16,513.41	
Calvin Gold Medal	2,020.75	
Portraits	233.85	
		$18,768.01
Surplus Account as at 31st January, 1937	$136,858.20	
Less Legal Fees applicable to previous years	$265.95	
Excess of Expenditure over Revenue for the Year ended 31st January, 1938	930.54	
	$1,196.49	
		$135,661.71
		$459,420.67

Audited and found correct subject to our Report of this date.

(Signed) MACINTOSH, ROBERTSON & PATERSON,
Chartered Accountants.

Montreal, 2nd March, 1938.

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY, 1938

Revenue

Presbyterian Church in Canada—Contribution		$13,500.00
Appropriations transferred—		
Hugh Watson Endowment Fund	$ 470.00	
General Endowment Fund	3,155.71	
		3,625.71
		$17,125.71
Professors' Salaries and Lecturers' Fees	$15,850.00	
Less Revenue from Special Endowments and Subscriptions applicable thereto	8,736.03	
		7,113.97
		$10,011.74

EXPENDITURE

Repairs, Maintenance and Furnishings		$1,835.08
Fuel and Light		1,806.32
Wages—Engineer, Janitor and Cleaning		2,074.92
Stationery, Printing and Advertising		556.49
Insurance		1,070.82
Salaries of Secretary and Librarians		843.00
Travelling Expense		81.50
Telephones and Postage		318.35
Taxes		1,482.30
Audit Fee		330.00
Interest (Net)		260.74
Library Expenses	$239.17	
Less Appropriation	63.89	
		175.28
General Expense		98.85
Commission, Montreal Trust Company		611.10
		$11,544.75
Less Profit on Household Account as per Statement attached		602.47
		10,942.28
Deficit carried to Balance Sheet		$930.54

STATEMENT OF INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS AND APPROPRIATIONS THEREFROM FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY, 1938

Income from Investments	$14,323.47

APPROPRIATIONS

For Scholarship Endowment	$1,917.84	
Library Endowment	63.89	
Special Endowment	8,716.03	
Hugh Watson Endowment	470.00	
General Endowment	3,155.71	
		$14,323.47

STATEMENT OF SPECIAL ENDOWMENTS SHOWING REVENUE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY, 1938, FROM INVESTMENTS ALLOCATED THERETO

	Special Endowments	*Revenue*
Joseph Mackay Chair	$33,929.52	$2,011.01
Edward Mackay Chair	33,929.52	1,882.24
John Redpath Chair	27,143.62	1,628.40
Lord Strathcona Chair	40,715.45	2,189.38
Robert Anderson Chair	16,964.77	1,005.00
	$152,682.88	$8,716.03
Add—Subscriptions received		20.00
		$8,736.03

Revenue applied towards Professors' Salaries and Lecturers' Fees for the year as follows:—

Principal F. Scott Mackenzie	$4,050.00		
Honorarium for 1936-1937 Session	500.00		
		$4,550.00	
Professor Dr. W. Harvey-Jellie		3,600.00	
Professor Frank W. Beare		3,600.00	
Lecturers:—			
Dr. D. J. Fraser		3,600.00	
Dr. O. W. Howard		500.00	
			15,850.00
Shortage as per Statement of Revenue and Expenditure			$7,113.97

HOUSEHOLD ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY, 1938

REVENUE

Donation *re* Convocation Reception			$ 110.00
From Rooms and Board represented by—			
Amounts paid to Montreal Trust Co		$7,469.68	
Collected but not paid to Montreal Trust Co		75.75	
			7,545.43
			$7,655.43
Note.—Amount due by Students after writing off old accounts amounting to $560.71	$1,687.35		
Students' Accounts paid in advance	323.15		

EXPENDITURE

Supplies	$4,148.77	
Wages	1,184.19	
Lady Superintendent's Salary	720.00	
Light and Heat—Proportion	1,000.00	
		$7,052.96
Profit transferred to Revenue and Expenditure Account		$602.47

PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD AS AT JANUARY 31st, 1938

Amount	*Description*	*Book Value*	*Interest Rate*
$3,000.00	Canada Steamship Lines Limited, Series "A" Bonds, due January 2nd, 1957	$ 4,993.75	5%
65-10/20	Shares Canadian Steamship Lines Limited, Preferred Stock—Par Value $50.00		5%
15	Shares Canadian Steamship Lines Limited, Common Stock—No Par Value		...
$ 300.00	Canadian Light & Power Company, First Mortgage Bond, due July 1st, 1949	300.00	5%
3,000.00	Canadian Pacific Railway Company 20-Year S/F Secured Note Certificate, due December 15th, 1944	3,022.50	4½%
2,000.00	Dominion of Canada 1931 National Service Loan Bonds, due November 15th, 1941	2,000.00	5%
3,200.00	Dominion of Canada 1933 Refunding Loan Bond Series N 7, due October 15th, 1945	3,188.00	4%
1,000.00	Dominion of Canada Bond, due November 1st, 1958	1,004.50	4½%
32,000.00	Dominion of Canada 1931 Conversion Loan, due November 1st, 1959	33,071.35	4½%
6,000.00	Dominion of Canada 20-Year Bonds, due June 1st, 1955	5,902.50	3%
3,000.00	Gatineau Power Company First Mortgage Gold Bonds, due June 1st, 1956	2,985.00	5%
3,000.00	The Montreal Metropolitan Commission 35-Year S/F Gold Bonds, due November 1st, 1961	3,033.75	4½%
1,000.00	City of Montreal Bond, due November 1st, 1956	1,014.49	5%
2,000.00	City of Montreal Sinking Fund Gold Bonds, due September 1st, 1958	2,028.92	5%
100.00	Montreal Light, Heat and Power Cons. Convertible Deb. F/R July 1st, 1939—Exchangeable into Common Stock on or before July 1st, 1937.	92.75	3%
3,000.00	Province of Ontario Debentures, due February 1st, 1941	3,318.85	6%
3,000.00	Province of Ontario Debentures, due September 1st, 1944	2,899.35	4½%
3,000.00	The Port Hood Coal Company First Mortgage Bonds, due September 30th, 1919	1.00	6%
3,000.00	Province of Quebec Gold Debentures, due March 2nd, 1950	2,936.85	4½%
	Carried forward	$71,793.56	

Amount	*Description*	*Book Value*	*Interest Rate*
	Brought forward	$71,793.56	
3,000.00	City of Quebec Debentures, due February 1st, 1953	3,035.25	5%
4,500.00	The Shawinigan Water & Power Company First Mortgage and Collateral Tr. S/F Gold Bonds Series "D", due October 1st, 1970	4,376.25	4½%
3,000.00	The Shawinigan Water & Power Company 25-Year First Mortgage and Collateral Tr. S/F Bonds Series "F", due April 1st, 1961	2,951.25	4%
6,000.00	The Wabasso Cotton Company, Limited, First Mortgage Series "A" Bonds, due February 1st, 1951	5,985.00	4½%
14,000.00	Province of Nova Scotia Debentures, due August 16th, 1946	14,000.00	3½%
30 Shares	Abitibi Power & Paper Company Limited, Cumulative Preferred Stock—Par Value $100.00	2,559.00	6%
30 Shares	Canada Cement Company Limited Sinking Fund Cumulative Preferred Stock—Par Value $100.00	2,944.00	6½%
30 Shares	Cockshutt Plow Company Limited, Common—No Par Value	240.00	...
		$107,884.31	
	Mortgages	$165,246.00	

KNOX COLLEGE

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Board of Management of Knox College begs to submit its Ninety-fourth Annual Report.

The Board has endeavoured to conduct the affairs of the College with due regard to the need of economy, thereby fulfilling the trust committed to it by the General Assembly.

The conduct of the students in residence has been very gratifying during the past year.

In accordance with the instructions of the General Assembly of 1936, provision was made for the teaching of Systematic Theology. The work was done by Rev. Gordon S. Taylor, M.A.

The College received from an anonymous donor twenty copies of a book entitled "He is become my Song", written by Edith A. S. Robertson, a copy for each member of the Graduating Class and of the Faculty. The Board has placed on record its appreciation of the gift, and acknowledgment has been sent to the publishers, the MacMillan Company of New York, through whom the books were received.

It is not only desirable, but it is becoming increasingly imperative, that the Church should give more serious attention to the work of Theological Education. One explanation of the fact that the Board did not ask Presbyteries for nominations for the vacant chair of Systematic Theology is because it is not provided with the means which would enable it to secure a first-class man. Men capable of occupying this chair are very hard to secure at any salary, but it is almost impossible to secure such a one at the salary the Board is allowed to offer at present. The Board is charged with the responsibility of getting a professor of the first rank and the subject warrants that charge, yet only a third-class salary is offered. In other words the Church demands a specialist, but at a salary that is little better than the minimum and a manse. The Board is empowered to offer $3,600 per year without a house and with no retiring allowance provided. In Scotland the treatment of Professors is much more liberal. Recently applications to fill two chairs in Aberdeen were called for. The salary offered was $4,650 with manse and retiring allowance. In the United States it is quite the usual thing to provide residences for professors and a reasonable pension on retirement.

The Board wishes to express its appreciation of the action of the W.M.S. of our Church in contributing $100 as an acknowledgment of the use of the Board Room of the College for the weekly meeting of their Executive.

Regarding the rule that members of the Board and Senate must retire at the expiration of three years in office, the Board would again draw the attention of General Assembly to the difficulties created by the rigid observance of this rule. Care of a building worth over half a million dollars demands a continuous and consistent policy. The same continuity and consistency are necessary in the relationships between the Board and Senate and the students, and in the general policy of academic supervision. Under prevailing conditions these are most difficult to achieve. Again we recommend that this rule be not applied in the election of members to the Senates and Boards of our Colleges.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WALTER T. McCREE, *Secretary.*

J. A. McLEOD, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF THE SENATE OF KNOX COLLEGE

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Senate of Knox College begs to submit its Ninety-fourth Annual Report.

There were thirty-four students pursuing theological studies under the direction of the Senate. Of these fourteen were in third year, eight in second year, and twelve in first year, whilst seventeen candidates were in different stages of study for the degree of Bachelor of Divinity. One candidate, Rev. David Gowdy, B.A., having completed the prescribed work was granted the degree.

In Arts, and in preparation for Theology, there were registered forty-one students. These men are taking their work in the University of Toronto, University of Western Ontario, McMaster University, and the University of Alberta.

The Ninety-fourth Convocation was held on Tuesday, April 12th, when the following received the diploma of the College: Robert H. Armstrong, B.A., T. G. M. Bryan, B.A., W. F. Butcher, B.A., G. L. Douglas, B.A., J. R. Esler, B.A., F. C. Knox, B.A., A. F. MacSween, B.A., D. W. Oswald, M.A., R. A. Sinclair, B.A., S. E. Smith, B.A., W. E. Smyth, B.A., J. E. Taylor, J. S. Wright, B.A., J. M. Young, B.A.

The Convocation was addressed by Professor Henry Pitney Van Dusen, B.D., Ph.D., of Union Theological Seminary, New York.

The following is the list of awards:—

Special Scholarships and Prizes:

The McClure Scholarships (1936-37)	$ 45.00	Thomas Maxwell
The Archibald McArthur Scholarships (1936-37)	35.00	Alex. R. Orr
	25.00	Not awarded
The Barbara Ogilvie Gray Scholarship	60.00	F. C. Knox, B.A.
The Torrance-Dryden Scholarship	60.00	Not awarded
The R. M. Boswell Scholarship	50.00	T. H. B. Somers, B.A.
Presbyterian Publication Scholarship	100.00	T. H. B. Somers, B.A.
The McLellan Scott Scholarship	100.00	T. H. B. Somers, B.A.
The Brydon Prize	25.00	D. W. Oswald, M.A.
The Smith Scholarship	45.00	D. W. Oswald, M.A.
The Prince of Wales Prize	50.00	T. H. B. Somers, B.A.
The Gordon Mortimer Clark Scholarship	125.00	W. F. Butcher, B.A.

Scholarships awarded for standing in examinations:

First Year.

The Eastman Scholarship ($50.00) / The John K. Hislop "1" (20.00)	70.00	Percy A. Ferguson, B.A.
The Gillies Scholarship	50.00	James Ferguson, B.A.
The Mrs. Morrice Scholarship	50.00	J. K. Lattimore, B.A.
The Fisher No. 1 Scholarship / The Boyd Scholarship / The Wm. Peattie Scholarship / The Dunbar No. 1 Scholarship / The Dunbar No. 2 Scholarship	Not awarded	
The Travelling Fellowship	$600.00	Stanley E. Smith, B.A.

Second Year.		
The R. H. Thornton Memorial Scholarship..	$100.00	T. H. B. Somers, B.A.
The Loghrin Scholarship.....	$150.00	75.00 J. S. Clarke, B.A.
The Jane Mortimer Scholarship..		75.00 G. M. Murdoch, B.A.
The J. A. Cameron Scholarship..		
The Fisher No. 2 Scholarship.....	Not awarded	
John K. Hislop No. 2 Scholarship.....		
Jane M. Hislop No. 1 Scholarship.....		
Third Year.		
The Bonar-Burns Scholarship.....		$60.00 S. E. Smith, B.A.
The Elizabeth Scott Scholarship.....		60.00 G. L. Douglas, B.A.
The George Sherriff Morrice Scholarship....		50.00 F. C. Knox, B.A.
The Heron Scholarship.....		50.00 D. W. Oswald, M.A.
The Goldie Scholarship.....	$75.00	25.00 R. H. Armstrong, B.A.
The Cheyne Scholarship.....		25.00 W. F. Butcher, B.A.
The Jane M. Hislop No. 2 Scholarship.		25.00 R. A. Sinclair, B.A.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

THOMAS EAKIN,
Principal.

Knox College, April 11th, 1938.

KNOX COLLEGE, TORONTO

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st JANUARY, 1938

General Endowment				$264,844.72
Mortgages and Interest	$ 54,102.56			
Bonds, Debentures and Stocks..	209,210.65			
		$263,313.21	$263,313.21	
Uninvested		1,531.51		
		$264,844.72		
Income and Expenditure, Debit Balance			550.32	
Scholarship Endowments				58,713.59
Mortgages	$11,250.00			
Bonds and Debentures	40,701.39			
		$51,951.39	51,951.39	
Uninvested		6,762.20		
		$58,713.59		
Non-Competitive Scholarship Endowment				24,054.29
Mortgages	$ 3,518.00			
Bonds and Debentures	19,579.29			
		$23,097.29	23,097.29	
Uninvested		957.00		
		$24,054.29		
McLellan Estate				16,797.81
Mortgages	$ 4,500.00			
Bonds and Debentures	12,838.97			
		$17,338.97	17,338.97	
Overinvested		541.16		
		$16,797.81		

Joseph Henderson Bursary			7,944.83
Bonds and Debentures	$6,822.70	6,822.70	
Uninvested	1,122.13		
	$7,944.83		
M. G. Abey Bursary			7,957.70
Mortgages	$4,000.00		
Bonds and Debentures	3,424.26		
	$7,424.26	7,424.26	
Uninvested	533.44		
	$7,957.70		
Organ Upkeep Fund			3,300.00
Bonds and Debentures	$2,846.31	2,846.31	
Uninvested	453.69		
	$3,300.00		
Accrued Interest on Bonds, Debentures and Mortgages		3,588.67	
Cash on Hand and in Bank		6,836.67	
Sundry Liabilities			156.85
		$383,769.79	$383,769.79

KNOX COLLEGE—FOR YEAR ENDING 31st JANUARY, 1938

GENERAL ENDOWMENT INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

Income

Balance, 31st January, 1937		$ 909.57	
Presbyterian Church Budget	$12,600.00		
House Account	2,000.00		
Interest on Investments	12,587.50		
Organ Upkeep Fund	119.25		
B.D. Degrees	30.00		
		27,336.75	
			$28,246.32

Expenditure

Bank Charges	$ 7.86	
Maintenance, General Upkeep, Light, Heat	8,102.33	
Telephone	174.60	
Upkeep of Organ	110.00	
Printing and Stationery	320.39	
Advertising, Safety Deposit Box Rent and Sundry Expense	370.58	
Salaries	17,321.63	
Auditing	125.00	
Caven Library Expenses	600.00	
Travelling Expenses	929.25	
Insurance	735.00	
		28,796.64
Balance of Expenditure over Income 31st January, 1938		$550.32

SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

Income

Interest on Investments	$2,801.59	
Dr. Norman MacEachern, Scholarship	100.00	
		$2,901.59

Expenditure

Scholarships	$1,870.00	
Balance transferred to Corpus	1,031.59	
		$2,901.59

NON-COMPETITIVE SCHOLARSHIP INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

Income

Bursaries	$ 500.00	
Loan Repaid	22.00	
Interest on Investments	1,284.57	
McLellan Estate	696.59	
		$2,503.16

Expenditure

Scholarships and Students Aid	$987.00	
Salaries Greek and Hebrew Teachers	785.73	
Balance transferred to Corpus	730.43	
		$2,503.16

McLELLAN ESTATE

Income

Balance, 31st January, 1937	$16,797.81	
Interest	696.59	
		$17,494.40

Expenditure

Transfer Interest to Non-Competitive Scholarships	$ 696.39	
Balance, 31st January, 1938	16,797.81	
		$17,494.40

JOSEPH HENDERSON BURSARY

Income

Interest	$331.64

Expenditure

Balance transferred to Corpus	$331.64

M. G. ABEY, BURSARY

Income

Interest	$378.65

Expenditure

Balance transferred to Corpus	$378.65

KNOX COLLEGE HOUSE ACCOUNT
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR YEAR ENDING 31ST JANUARY, 1938

Receipts

Balance—Cash on Hand and in Bank, 1st February, 1937		$ 992.57	
Board and Rooms	$22,515.10		
Key Deposits (less refunds)	264.70		
		22,779.80	
			$23,772.37

Disbursements

Food	$10,593.51		
Supplies	1,130.17		
Salaries and Wages	7,016.00		
Light, Heat and Power	452.89		
Expenses	890.85		
Bank Charges	13.38		
		$20,096.80	
Transferred to General Endowment Income Account		2,000.00	
			22,096.80
Balance, 31st January, 1938			$1,675.57

Balance, 31st January, 1938, made up as follows:			$1,521.49
Bank of Nova Scotia		$114.09	
Cash on Hand, General		39.39	
Mrs. McInnis		.60	
Petty Cash			154.08
			$1,675.57

E. W. McNEILL,
Treasurer.

CERTIFICATE

We have audited the books and accounts of Knox College for the year ending 31st January, 1938, and certify that the Balance Sheet and related statements are, in our opinion, drawn up so as to show a true and correct view of the affairs of the College according to the best of our information, the explanations given us, and as shown by the books.

The Cash on Hand was verified by actual count during the course of our audit and we have received confirmation of the bank accounts from your bankers.

We examined the Bond and Debenture securities and found them to be in accord with the books. These securities are held for safekeeping in the vaults of the Toronto General Trusts Corporation. The investments are shown on the Balance Sheet at book value.

HENRY BARBER, MAPP & MAPP,
Chartered Accountants.

Toronto, 19th March, 1938.

REPORT *Re* ACADEMIC DEGREES

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The last Assembly instructed the Clerks to "secure from all Ministers of our Church a statement of their degrees and the universities, colleges or seminaries by which these degrees have been conferred; that Ministers be required to furnish such information before March 31st, 1938, and that this information be compiled in the Church Offices to be submitted to the next General Assembly."

1. According to our instructions, 740 letters were sent out to the Ministers of the Church. Only 340 replies were received. Of these, 26 reported no academic degrees; 314 furnished detailed statements of degrees held and institutions from which received.

2. It is estimated that there are at present on the rolls of Presbyteries 410 Ministers from whom no answer has been received; but only 192 of these appear in the Statistical returns of the Assembly as claiming any special academic distinction. From the remaining 224 no report was required.

3. The following are the Universities, Colleges and other degree-conferring institutions given in the returns:

CANADIAN. *Arts.* Acadia; Alberta; Bishop's; British Columbia; Dalhousie; McGill; McMaster; Manitoba; de Montreal; Mount Allison; New Brunswick; Queen's; Saskatchewan; Toronto; Western. *Theology.* Acadia; Knox; Manitoba College; Pine Hill, Halifax; Presbyterian, Montreal; Queen's; Robertson; St. Andrew's, Sask.; Victoria, Toronto; Wesleyan, Montreal; and the General Synod, C. of E.

BRITISH AND CONTINENTAL. *Arts.* Anatolia, Turkey; Edinburgh; Geneva; Glasgow; Harpoole, Turkey; Jena; London; Paris; Queen's, Belfast; Royal, Ireland; St. Andrew's; Sorbonne; Trinity, Dublin; Wales. *Theology.* Aberdeen; Edinburgh; Geneva; Glasgow; London; New College, Edinburgh; St. Andrew's.

AMERICAN. *Arts.* Austin, Tex.; Bloomfield, N.J.; Buffalo, N.Y.; California; Calvin, Mich.; Central, Ind.; Clark, Mass.; Columbia, N.Y.; Cornell, N.Y.; Eastern, Pa.; Grove City, Pa.; Hope, Mich.; Iowa; Lafayette, Pa.; Lebanon, Pa.; Macalester, Minn.; Michigan; Muskingum, O.; Oskaloosa, Ia.; Parson's, Ia.; Presbyterian, S.C.; Princeton, N.J.; Roanoke, Va.; Susquehanna, Pa.; Webster, Ga.; Wooster, O.; Yale, Conn.; American Extension, Cal.; American International, Mass.; Meta Collegiate Extension. *Theology.* Arlington, Va.; Auburn, N.Y.; Bloomfield, N.J.; Central, Ind.; Chicago Theological, Ill.; Columbia Theological, Ga.; Evangelical Theological, Tex.; Hanover, Ind.; Harvard, Mass.; Lincoln-Jefferson, Ill.; Louisville, Ky.; McCormick, Ill.; Park, Mo.; Presbyterian, S.C.; Princeton, N.J.; San Francisco Theological, Cal.; Southern Baptist, Ky.; Temple, Pa.; Union, N.Y.; Western Theological, Pa.; Westminster, Pa.; Xenia, O.; Yale Divinity, Conn.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. WARDLAW TAYLOR,
J. W. MACNAMARA,
Joint Clerks.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE CHURCH EXTENSION FUND

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Trustees of the Church Extension Fund beg to submit the following report:—

We report with deep regret the death of our Chairman, Dr. A. J. MacGillivray, which took place on January 1st, 1938. We desire to place on record our high appreciation of the many varied and devoted services rendered by him to our Church during his ministry.

Dr. MacGillivray was deeply interested in the Minority Groups and struggling congregations who approached this Board for assistance to enable them to secure suitable places of Worship. Because of his wide knowledge of the Church, and his wide experience, he was able to give wise guidance to the Board in its work.

Owing to the failure or inability of many congregations to meet their payments of interest and principal when due, the activities of the Board have been severely limited; assistance in the way of loans could be given only in the case of the most urgent applications. On the other hand the fund has benefited in recent years by several bequests, which have been of material assistance.

It should be noted that many of the loans made to congregations are now long overdue. The Board has given sympathetic consideration to requests for an extension of time, in many cases where local conditions would seem to require it, and has granted such a measure of relief as is possible with due regard to the fund as well as to the congregations concerned.

There is danger however that congregations which have obtained loans from this fund for building purposes are inclined to take too lightly their obligations for repayment of principal and interest, and to take the position that the Church can afford to wait, until all other obligations are met.

If the fund is to fulfill its original purpose, as a permanent revolving fund to be always available for the help of congregations, to enable them to erect or secure suitable places of Worship, then it is necessary that loans should be repaid within a reasonable time, otherwise the original capital of the fund will be dissipated.

The Board trusts that all congregations which have received help in the way of loans will make a real effort during this year to make payment in reduction of their loans. In this way the Bank Overdraft would be materially reduced, and the fund be placed in a position to render further service.

A financial statement follows.

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND

CASH STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING 31ST JANUARY, 1938

Expenditure		
Bank Overdraft, January 31st, 1937		$20,957.84
Bank Charges	$ 1,067.16	
Loans	12,604.88	
Travelling Expenses	69.15	
Stationery	2.25	
		13,743.44
		$34,701.28

Receipts

Principal of Loans re-paid	$ 700.00	
Interest Paid on Loans	811.00	
Income on Investments	213.75	
Estate Mary Elizabeth Beatty	1,000.00	
Estate John Penman	3,000.00	
Bond Redeemed (Estate J. J. Bell))	515.00	
Mortgage Discharged (Estate Rebecca Beatty Buck)	750.00	
		$6,989.75
Bank Overdraft		$27,711.53

CHURCH AND MANSE FUND

The greater number of the loans from this fund were made before 1925 and were taken over, in the division of the Assets of the Church, made in 1927 by the Dominion Church Property Commission. Repayment of these old loans, either of interest or principal, has been very slow.

Since the Board has to depend on repayment of these loans, and others made since 1927 for funds with which to make loans or grants to new applicants, it will be seen that until there is a marked improvement in receipts from this source, the Board is not in a position to extend its work.

A financial statement follows.

CHURCH AND MANSE FUND

CASH STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING 31ST JANUARY, 1938

Receipts

Jan. 31, 1937	Balance in Bank		$2,353.45
	Principal Repaid on Loans	$2,017.25	
	Interest Paid on Loans	704.25	
	Bank Interest	53.88	
	Sundry	4.06	
	Rent, Victoria, B.C.	96.38	
	Refund on Taxes	.30	
	Income on Investments	30.00	
			2,906.12
			$5,259.57

Expenditure

	Loans	$ 371.00	
	Bank Charges	.83	
	Taxes, Victoria, B.C.	102.41	
	Discharge Fee on Mortgage	4.00	
	Insurance	21.00	
	Grants	1,000.00	
			1,499.24
Jan. 31, 1938	Balance in Bank		$3,760.33

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. G. INKSTER,
Chairman pro tem.

J. W. MACNAMARA,
Secretary.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH WORSHIP

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

In my report last year I suggested that provision should be made by the Assembly for the meeting of, at least, a segment of this important Committee. Nothing was done; so year by year this Report actually is the Convener's record of his stewardship.

Mine then can be brief. Those who attended the last Assembly at Ottawa met. Expense prevented any other meeting throughout the year. I have had correspondence with various ministers and laymen, particularly concerning the Book of Common Order. The burden of the correspondence, for the most part, dealt with changes considered to be necessary in that manual.

It happens that by action of the 1937 Assembly, the Convener of this Committee was placed on a new Committee (five members)—the special duty of which was to revise and reissue the Book of Common Order. On another page a brief report of the latter's work is given. More than once throughout the year the attention of the Church was called to the fact that such a revision was in process and requests made for suggestions. The lack of response surprised the Committee on Revision. There will be no objection, then, to the new book. Ministers not interested enough to state their views to the Committee will hardly expect to be taken seriously when the book is in print.

The Report of the Revision Committee shows, we think, that a busy year has been spent. And as the undersigned has written both of them, we think that they should be considered together at the General Assembly. The theme of both is one—Public Worship.

C. L. COWAN,
Convener.

Note: It was our purpose, and it was agreed to at the last Assembly, to send out a questionnaire, but the same ground is covered by Mr. J. B. Thompson's questionnaire recently sent out to the Church. As long as the information desired is received, the channel of it matters little.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM AND CHURCH LIFE AND WORK

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Committee has held nine meetings during the year; and in order to save travelling expenses the work was accomplished largely through its Executive.

The Committee by order of the General Assembly appointed representatives to the Joint Committee on the Evangelization of Canadian Life, the Canadian Branch of the World Alliance for International Friendship through the churches; the Electoral Committee of the Holland Conference on Life and Work, and Faith and Order.

It was recommended by the Committee that the churches observe the Week of Prayer in January, and that we use, as far as possible, the programme prepared by the World's Evangelical Alliance, and thus be united in heart and mind.

The Committee has given much thought and attention to the compiling of a hymn book for young people's and evangelistic services, and hope to have it ready for publication in the near future.

The questionnaire sent out by order of the General Assembly on "The State of Religion" was well received. A goodly number of returns came in from all the provinces, also Newfoundland and Bermuda. The Committee was gratified by the hearty co-operation and interest shown by the ministers. Some of our recommendations are based on the answers received.

An invitation was received from the Rev. C. E. Silcox, M.A., on behalf of the Executive Committee of The Social Service Council of Canada "To The Presbyterian Church in Canada, through its Committee on Evangelism and Church Life and Work, to become a unit of this interdenominational agency to promote Christian social action in our country."

The Committee beg to submit the following statement on the Principles of Scriptural Finance:—The method of Christian giving should begin with the fundamental Scriptural principle that the tenth belongs to God. This principle was not introduced by the Mosaic law. The custom of tithing was in operation in the times of the patriarchs. Abraham acknowledged Melchizedek, King of Salem, as priest of the most High God by giving him a tenth of all (Gen. 14:20). It seems to have come down from primitive times as the recognized way of acknowledging God's claim upon man. Jacob was evidently aware of this when he made his vow at Bethel (Gen. 28:27). He did not invent the method of tithing: he acknowledged the principle of it and promised to recognize God's claim upon him by carrying it out in his life. The principle was embodied in the Mosaic economy under which Israel was organized as a nation. The legal system of the ceremonial law regarded the tenth as belonging to God and required it to be given to Him before any question arose about free will offerings (Lev. 27:30-32, Duet. 12:5-6).

When we pass into the New Testament dispensation the principle still remains. The law is not abrogated in the economy of grace. Its requirements are fulfilled by a new principle, the glorious liberty of the children of God. The claims of God upon the Christian under the Gospel cannot be less than His claims upon the Israelite under the law. The difference is that the Christian is to recognize these claims "not grudgingly or of necessity", but cheerfully (II Cor. 9:7). His giving is to be in the light of the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ who, though He was rich, yet for our sakes became poor, that we through His poverty might be rich (II Cor. 8:9).

Believing with Dr. Alexander Whyte, "When some great financial genius arises in the Church to expound and enforce this disastrously neglected law of God, a new

day will dawn, and when that apostolic day dawns, our successors in the churches will look back with amazement at our poverty-stricken ways of collecting church money, and all because our eyes had, somehow, not been opened to Scriptural wisdom, and to Scriptural love, and to Scriptural liberality in this whole matter of the Lord's money."

Prayer must ever be the heart and centre of all true religion, and the source and secret of power in the Church.

While we recognize the impossibility of ascertaining and measuring the extent of such an inner thing as the soul's communion with God, we are of the opinion that there is reason to believe that a re-emphasis upon this all-important matter is urgently needed.

In the returns of the recent questionnaire we find that 59 per cent of the ministers reporting hold no prayer meeting, and 69 per cent reported that family worship was unknown to them in their parish. Our Church might well echo the disciples' request "Lord, teach us to pray."

Your Committee co-operated with the Executive of the Lord's Day Alliance during the year in preparing and presenting to the Board of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation a strong protest against the commercial advertising on Sundays through Canadian Radio Stations, and also the broadcast of Sunday commercialized sport. Several of our Presbyteries have supplemented this co-operative action by resolutions of protest sent to the C.B.C. Continued vigilance and protest will be necessary if we are to realize our objective of a Sunday freed from commercial advertising of all kinds, in harmony with the spirit and intent of our Canadian law.

Touching the question of the use of alcoholic beverages and the trade therein, your Committee begs leave to submit the following considerations and recommendations:—

The development of the liquor trade under the various systems in Canada called government control, constitutes a very grave menace to the well-being of citizens and the fullest life of the nation. The injurious results of this anti-social trade and its attendant customs are being widely registered in the economic, physical and moral injury of our people.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reveals the fact that what it guardedly designates "the apparent consumption of liquor" in Canada has risen above the recent low of 1933 by an increase of 101 per cent in spirits, 47 per cent in malt liquors, and 0.1 per cent in wines. This indicates a rapid increase in consumption and an alarming trend in the increased use of hard liquors.

The amount spent in legal purchase of liquor in Canada in the last year of record, 1936-1937, on a very conservative estimate equals nearly $165,000,000.

The resulting ravages are indicated by the fact that recent statistics show a steady increase of crime and the records reveal that whereas in 1926, 59 per cent of the prisoners in Canada convicted for indictable offences used liquor, in 1936, 94 per cent were so recorded. These figures suggest not only the relation of liquor to crime but also the vast spread of drinking among our people.

Behind the facts thus registered in official statistics, lie innumerable economic, social and moral breakdowns of individuals in all classes of society known only to those intimately associated with the facts.

The mounting toll of death and injury on our highways, in no inconsiderable portion due to drink, is a tragic warning of the inevitable results when a narcotic drug is freely accessible and is widely used in a highly mechanized society.

Report on the Questionnaire *Re* the State of Religion

In presenting this report, we make no claim to statistical accuracy. It is difficult to tabulate opinions as opposed to facts and figures. However we feel that we have obtained an accurate general picture of existing conditions in the Church, and as such, our report should be of interest and value to the Church at large.

Although we had replies from 168 of the ministers of the Church a few came in

too late to tabulate. The points of view of these ministers can be taken as a true cross section of the whole. We received replies from Newfoundland on the east to Vancouver on the west, from the Peace River District to Bermuda, from ministers in metropolitan churches, and from those in isolated mission fields.

The opinions expressed were plainly honest opinions. Gone is any false and foolish optimism which may have affected the ministers of our Church in the past. In its place is evident a seriousness which looks conditions squarely in the face, and sees them as they are, not as they might wish they were.

The answers to the question on how the evils of the day might best be met, brought out various opinions, but the predominant note throughout was that the Church should emphasize more than ever the evangelical preaching of the Word of God, that she should look more and more to Jesus Christ as the *only* means of salvation of both church and individual, and that there should be a definite reconsecration on the part of ministers and people to His purposes. Many stressed the revival of home religion and parental responsibility. Others saw the remedy in the power of prayer. The combination of these dominant suggestions throughout the Church would mean transformation, new power, and victory.

The general attitude towards temperance appears to be largely one of indifference, although only 12 ministers reported an unfavourable attitude to the temperance question. There is evidently a great deal of petty gambling, and 45 ministers reported that gambling had reached serious proportions in their districts. The "craze for amusements" seems to have taken hold of the people generally, and 89 ministers reported as their opinion that an undue importance was being given to amusement in the lives of the people. The Maritimes, and Quebec, however, reported no abnormality in this matter. The social standard of our people appears to be fairly high, only 35 ministers reporting it as low.

The report as to how the people were attending to the duties of religion was rather revealing. In the Maritimes, practically all reports were good, going westward the reports became poorer and poorer, and not one minister in the Synod of British Columbia reported favourably on this question.

Theoretical Atheism is not a serious menace in Canada, but as some pointed out, there *is* a practical Atheism, manifesting itself in an attitude of cold indifference to religion, and a widespread materialistic philosophy of life, which is even more serious and far-reaching in its results.

With the exception of a few men in certain districts of the large cities, the ministers reported no experience of Communism whatever. Communism is evidently not making any serious inroads into the churches' work, even in the large cities.

The report on Sabbath observance gives food for thought. Here again, we noticed an interesting regional reaction. In the Maritimes, the Sabbath appears to be still the Sabbath, only two ministers reporting loose observance. As we go westward the Sabbath means less and less. In Ontario, approximately 75 per cent of the ministers reported that the observance was indifferent, and in all Canada, west of Ontario, only one minister reported strict observance, more than 75 per cent reporting "Loose".

We can safely conclude that our Presbyterian people are not forsaking the church, so far as attendance is concerned. Of 156 ministers reporting, 69 reported over 75 per cent of their families regularly in church, 62, from 50 to 75 per cent and 26, under 50 per cent. It is also encouraging to note that 115 of the 156 ministers reported their elders as doing their duty to a greater or a lesser extent.

Of the churches where an evening service is held, 75 per cent report a decreased attendance at the evening service, the decrease varying from 30 to 60 per cent. In the Maritimes however, the situation is exactly reversed. Seventy-five per cent report an increased attendance at the evening service. The evening service in our Church as a whole, appears to be losing ground.

We found no reason for anxiety as far as the attendance of children and young people at services of worship was concerned, with the possible exception of British

Columbia, where over 80 per cent of the returns indicated less than 50 per cent of the young people and children in church. The report as a whole showed that 66 ministers reported an attendance of 75 per cent or over, 33 from 50 to 75 per cent, and 57 under 50 per cent.

The people of the church are evidently supporting their local churches adequately, even in those districts where conditions are, and have been most trying. One hundred and one ministers reported "good" on this question. Needless to state, the support of the Budget is quite another story.

Family worship is apparently an institution that has almost died out. One hundred and seven ministers reported practically none to their knowledge; 34 reported its observance to a very limited extent, and 15 reported a more or less general observance. It is interesting to note that of these 15 ministers who reported the observance of family worship, 9 were east of Ontario, 4 in Ontario, and 2 in all western Canada.

It is also rather startling to note that of the 156 ministers reporting, 87 held *no* prayer meeting in their church. Of the 69 who attempt to hold a prayer meeting, the attendance varied from 5 to 10 per cent of the congregation, the vast majority not exceeding the lower figure.

The verdict of the ministers regarding evangelistic compaigns was rather conclusive. One hundred and five reported as being opposed to evangelistic campaigns, 52 in favour. The phrase "The minister his own evangelist" was often used, and seems to sum up the opinion of the great majority of the ministers of the church.

The answers to the question as to whether the drift from the Church was real or not do not enable us to draw definite conclusions. Eighty-four ministers saw a real drift, while 71 were more optimistic.

It is interesting to note that of the replies received from the Prairie Provinces and British Columbia, all but one saw a real drift away from the church, while approximately 55 per cent of those reporting from the Maritimes saw no drift at all. Eighty-three ministers thought they saw signs of a desire to return while 71 failed to see any encouraging signs in this regard.

General Conclusions

1. The great majority of the ministers express a desire to make evangelism a definite policy of the church.

2. Our people as a whole, including the children and the youth, are faithful to the church, and the ministers are courageously and honestly facing conditions that are difficult.

3. The corporate prayer life of the church leaves something to be desired.

4. A very distinct regional variation is evident. In the Maritimes, the time-honoured institutions of the church, *viz.*, the Sabbath, and Family Worship, are still respected and observed. In the western provinces, the opposite is evident. The church is apparently facing widely differing problems in the east, and in the west.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Committee make the following recommendations:—

1. That this Committee be given authority to publish through Presbyterian Publications a hymn book for young people's and evangelistic services. The book is to contain three hundred hymns, one hundred of them from the Book of Praise, with a number of choruses added.

2. That the Church organize services of "Recall to Religion" during the later months of this year and beginning of next, calling upon our people for a complete surrender of life.

That where possible conferences be arranged for prayer and fellowship, especially for ministers, followed by public meetings, where thought advisable. Where evangelistic services may be held we suggest that these be conducted by ministers of our own Church.

That this Committee with Moderator and Clerks of Synods be authorized to carry this into effect.

3. The work of the Church is hindered, because the members are not contributing in the light of Scriptural teaching, many are ignorant of their financial responsibilities. Congregations are dependent so much on the sale of tickets, sale of work, and other such like means.

We recommend that instead of "Begging for the Budget", we preach the Gospel of Stewardship, setting forth the claims of God in a very definite manner.

We urge the consideration of the statement on Scriptural Finance as printed in the report.

4. That the General Assembly accept the invitation from The Social Service Council of Canada, and this Committee appoint representative members.

5. That the General Assembly should call our people to a definite renewal of prayer life, that, as a church, we may enter more fully into a realization of the promises of Him who said, "Ask, and ye shall receive; seek and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you."

6. Whereas gambling is becoming a serious menace to our national life we recommend:—

That the General Assembly call upon the ministers, members and adherents of our Church to do their utmost to create a public sentiment against gambling, and that suitable sermons be preached showing forth the evils of this baneful and enslaving habit.

7. Your Committee has had its attention drawn to the widespread practice of Sunday buying and selling in different parts of Canada, and would recommend that our ministers be requested to impress upon all our people the dangers to our Sunday life implied in these practices.

We recommend that our churches co-operate with the Lord's Day Alliance in its efforts to promote among the people of Canada the practice of anticipating their Sunday needs by purchasing on Saturdays the gasoline or oil for their motor cars, groceries or other delicacies for their tables, as well as other merchandise required.

We would further commend to our people the practice of making their purchases before a late hour on Saturday evenings, and so give our merchants and their employees every opportunity to close their places of business long before the midnight hour, and thereby provide for them the privilege of a full night's rest in preparation for the day of worship.

8. In view of the long-drawn out experience of social injury in the past, and in view of the clear and undeniable teaching of science today, and in view of the increasing injury and the tragic menace to the well-being of our people now present in our midst:

This General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada urges its members and adherents to discontinue the use of alcoholic liquors in their homes; to accept the highly Christian attitude self-imposed by the Apostle Paul of self-denial on behalf of our brother; the teaching in all our churches and Sunday schools of the known facts regarding alcohol and the injurious results to society of its use, and the co-operation of our people with restrictive and remedial efforts to eliminate the evil; and it would further earnestly urge on all our governments and their executives that they have regard not to the immediate revenues available by exploiting the ignorance and weakness of our citizens, but to the highest interests of individual and social well-being; and that they devise such methods of administration as shall effect the largest measure of restriction possible; and that they adopt policies calculated to steadily discourage the use of alcoholic beverages by our citizens.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. B. THOMSON,
Convener.

JOHN ELDER,
Secretary.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CORRESPONDENCE WITH OTHER CHURCHES

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Your Committee begs to submit the report for 1937.

Quoting from the report of last year, we again set before the Church the functions of this Committee, "Our relations with other Churches are maintained by correspondence and by delegates to the various Synods and General Assemblies accessible. The former necessarily is the chief medium of communication. To send delegates regularly to those churches within comparatively easy reach in the United States and the British Isles would entail heavy expense, and contact by representatives with other Churches as in Central Europe, Australia, New Zealand and other distant parts of the world would be impossible."

Assemblies Overseas

The Assembly having made no provision for payment of expenses in full in this connection, it has been the practice for some years to take advantage of the presence of one of our ministers in the Old Land to secure representation at these Assemblies, local expenses only being paid. Last year Rev. F. G. Vesey, Parkdale Church, Toronto, having made arrangements to go overseas consented to represent us at as many of the Assemblies as possible upon these conditions. Mr. Vesey appeared before the following Assemblies:

Presbyterian Church of England, Liverpool.
The Church of Scotland, Edinburgh.
United Original Secession, Edinburgh.
The Presbyterian Church in Ireland, Belfast.
The Free Church of Scotland.
The United Free Church.

The date of the Assembly of the Church in Wales and that of the Church in Ireland having conflicted, he was unable to attend the Assembly in Wales. Although Mr. Vesey was commissioned to represent us before the Reformed Church in Holland, he found it impossible to visit that land.

Assemblies in America

On this side of the water, Dr. Rochester visited and addressed the following Assemblies:

The Presbyterian Church in U.S., Montreat, N.C.
The Presbyterian Church in U.S.A., Columbus, Ohio.

Delegate to Sesqui-centennial

Arrangements were made upon invitation of the Presbyterian Church in U.S.A., to have a delegate from our Church attend the Sesqui-centennial of that body when this 150th anniversary is observed in May of this year, and the Committee named Dr. Munroe, Moderator of the General Assembly, for that mission.

Glasgow Exhibition

In response to an invitation from the Home Board of the Church of Scotland, which has arranged for the erection on the Exhibition grounds of a Church Hall or Pavilion in which to present an exhibit illustrative of the Church of Scotland's work

in other lands, your Committee agreed to co-operate by providing such an exhibit from our Church.

Report to Colonial Committees

Again we have communicated with the Colonial Committee of the Church of Scotland and with that of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, furnishing each with a statement of some outstanding features in connection with our Home Mission work during the past year. There is eagerness expressed on the part of these Committees to have such information and we have always made ready response to their annual request.

Our Name on Alliance Records

The Assembly at its meeting last year accepted the recommendation of the Correspondence Committee that a deputation be appointed to present to the General Council of the Reformed Churches, meeting in Montreal, the finding of the Assembly with respect to the elimination from the records of the Alliance of the asterisk and note standing against the name of our Church in their records. To lay this matter before the Alliance, Rev. Dr. Rochester and Rev. Dr. A. J. MacGillivray were appointed by the Assembly. With the co-operation of the United Church representatives this commission was carried out with the result that it was ordered that this elimination be made. The asterisk and the note therefore no longer stand against us on the Alliance Records.

Relief Evangelical Churches of Europe

Whilst we have not been able to contribute as largely as some years earlier to this worthy cause our contributions have been very heartily welcomed and have been greatly appreciated, particularly by the American Committee. This year the sum of $50 was sent to the Treasurer as a contribution to that purpose. This with the grant of $250 ordered by the Assembly made our remittance for 1937 $300.

The Committee recommends that the contribution for 1938 be the sum of $250.

Alliance of the Reformed Churches

In the report to Assembly last year the Committee directed attention to the fact that for the purpose of reducing expenses the Western Section of the Alliance has been meeting biennially. The annual meeting, however, has been restored.

Delegates From the Alliance

The Alliance of the Reformed Churches, Western Section, has adopted the policy of having a representative chosen by the Alliance to report annually to each of the supreme courts of the Churches constituting the Alliance. Formerly each Church received a report from one of its own delegates. In keeping with this policy we had the pleasure of welcoming to our Assembly last year, Rev. Dr. Charles E. Schaeffer of Philadelphia, Superintendent of Missions of the Evangelical and Reformed Church in U.S.A.

General Council

The General Council of the Alliance which meets every four years, assembled last year in Montreal on the 23rd of June. The last General Council to be held in Canada met in Toronto in 1892. At the Montreal Council we had a full complement of delegates. Dr. Stuart Parker of St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, read a paper on The Worship of the Reformed Church; The Word and Sacraments. This aroused profound interest and was one of the most welcome contributions to the program.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. ROCHESTER,
Secretary.

F. G. VESEY,
Convener.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE REVISION OF THE BOOK OF COMMON ORDER

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Your Committee on the Revision of the Book of Common Order has met many times since appointment. It is their hope that, by the time the 1938 Assembly meets, the manual will be in the hands of the printers. That there might be more uniformity throughout the Church, it was agreed that the new book should have but *one* main Order for Public Worship in the morning and one for the evening. But provision is made within the Orders for a fuller service. Alternate prayers, etc., are provided for the convenience of the Ministers. Immense care has been taken to consult with ancient orders relative to Reformed practices. Explanatory rubrics are provided throughout the services for the guidance of our ministers.

In regard to the Communion, Marriage, and Funeral Services, the same principle has been followed, namely, one order for each. Revision has been made of the other Orders; but *no revision for revision's sake.* The Committee's judgment on what was best in the old has been conserved in the new. One or two new features have been added, such as an Order for the Dedication of Deaconesses, one Order of Worship for the Sabbath School, an Order for the Installation of Officers of the Young People's Society. In the section, "Intercession for Special Objects and Persons," Armistice Day has been provided for, and prayers added for a Christian Social Order, and for International Conferences. "Prayers for the Sick" etc., have been properly placed within this section.

The section in the old book, "Alternate and Additional Prayers," has been made unnecessary through the use of alternate and additional prayers in the regular services. The convenience of this will at once be manifest. In the "Prayers for Christian Festivals and Natural Seasons," readers will discover that selections from the old book have been made. This reduction, we think, does not impair its usefulness.

A word of explanation *re* the personnel of the Committee—through an oversight the names do not appear in the minutes of the last Assembly. Perhaps, I should have mentioned them when giving my report for the Committee on Church Worship. However, those chosen were—Dr. T. W. Taylor, Judge J. G. Farrell, the Revs. J. B. Skene, A. C. Stewart, and the undersigned as Convener. Our instructions were "to proceed with diligence to the revision and issuance of the Book of Common Order."

We have almost fulfilled a most congenial task, and thank the Assembly for the honour conferred upon us.

C. L. COWAN,
Convener of Committee on Revision.

REPORT OF THE "RECORD" COMMITTEE

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Your Committee begs to submit the report for 1937, the fifty-ninth in the history of the *Record* and the eleventh under the direction of the present Editor and Manager.

The receipts show a decline from those of the previous year. The reduction however, appears not only in receipts but also in expenditure, so that the cost to the Budget funds of the Church of the *Record* was $292.79, a very small sum in view of the service rendered.

The financial statement is as follows:

Receipts, year ending January 31st, 1938	$11,508.19
Expenditures	11,800.98
	$ 292.79

Expenditures include the printing and mailing of the *Record*, engraving, salaries of the Editor and Office Secretary and additional help when required, travelling expenses, office equipment and supplies. Included under this heading also are stationery and postage for the Committee on Correspondence and the Publicity work of the Church. In the latter the *Record* has been of special service in providing cuts of the Moderator and others for which application is made by ministers for anniversaries and other occasions.

Subscriptions, the proceeds of advertising, and a few contributions for the gratuitous distribution of the *Record*, constitute the only revenue.

The *Record*, unlike some other church papers has not been in receipt of any direct contribution from the funds of the Church beyond the amount at the end of the year by which expenditure has exceeded revenue. One Canadian publication corresponding to this was at one time in receipt of $2,000 annually from the missionary funds. The monthly publication of the Presbyterian Church in U.S.A. which has been discontinued, was in receipt at one time, of $18,000 from the general funds of the Church, this being the cost of production and distribution beyond the revenue.

This year the *Record* has been devoted in increasing measure to further the ends of the Budget and Stewardship Committee, rendering the service for which formerly dependence was placed upon special literature. The *Record* supplies missionary information and carries the special statements and appeals issued by the Budget and Stewardship Committee.

The general interest of the Church has not been overlooked and articles have appeared regularly upon matters concerning its life and work, including church news and devotional material.

The practice inaugurated a few years ago of reporting the Acts and Proceedings of the General Assembly, according to reports of Committees and the subjects considered, for the benefit of the members and adherents of the Church, is continued. The Minutes must follow the order of presentation and debate day by day and quite a quest is necessary to ascertain the disposition of a matter or report after it has been presented. In the *Record* the beginning of an issue or the presentation of a report is at once followed by the action taken by the Assembly in disposing of the matter.

The circulation of the *Record* abroad has served the interest of the Church in not a few particulars, chiefly setting before the world the fact of the distinctive place maintained by The Presbyterian Church in Canada as one of the churches laboring

for the extension of Christ's kingdom. The service thus rendered has been supplemented during the past year as formerly, although not in as great degree as in some years, by extended correspondence and the circulation of literature.

It needs to be strongly impressed upon the minds of the Church that the chief requirement for the *Record* is systematic and earnest local effort so that each congregation and mission station shall take seriously the regularly reported policy of the General Assembly that the *Record* shall be placed in every family. Next year will be the Diamond Jubilee of our Church's publication and it may very well be celebrated by a special effort in every part of the Church to give the *Record* its proper standing and enable it to accomplish the maximum of service.

The Committee therefore recommends that the Assembly direct congregations to observe this Diamond Jubilee by undertaking and energetically prosecuting such effort as will accomplish the Assembly's definite and oft-declared policy in this regard.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. ROCHESTER,
Secretary.

J. B. PAULIN,
Convener.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Since last report your Committee has learned:

1. That the Presbyterian Church in Ireland is not disposed to reopen the subject of mutual eligibility at the present time. That decision leaves matters as they were, and every application can be dealt with on its merits.
2. The Presbyterian Church of England takes a similar position, feeling that it would be unwise for that Church to act independently, in view of their relationship of complete mutual eligibility with the Presbyterian Church in Ireland.
   This Church however, expressed its willingness to reopen the matter at a later date.
3. The Church of Scotland has not taken quite such a definite position, but has raised some difficulties which your committee finds rather awkward to meet. That Church asks to be furnished with full information (*a*) regarding the curriculum in Arts and Divinity required by candidates for the ministry in this Church, and (*b*) the conditions of admission of ministers from other churches. In addition, their committee asks for "some idea of the number of ministers, if any, admitted to your church of recent years, who do not come up to the academical standard presently required of candidates for the ministry by your Church."

The Assembly will appreciate the embarrassment of your Committee in being confronted with these very legitimate questions, especially the last, but your Committee feels that some benefit may still come out of these negotiations, and would recommend:

1. That Committee be continued one more year.
2. That Dr. H. Beverley Ketchen of Hamilton, and Dr. H. L. Stewart, of Halifax, be added to the Committee.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. B. SKENE,
Convener.

REPORT OF THE PENSION BOARD

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

It is with gratitude to God that your Pension Board hereby beg leave to submit the following report:—

During the eleven years that the Pension Board has been in operation, it has experienced many difficulties and disappointments.

The years of depression through which the world has been passing has had a very retarding influence on the progress of the Fund. Nevertheless, it has made progress. Starting with $463,000.00, the Fund has increased to $841,654.42.

The number of rate-paying ministers now connected with the Fund is 306.

The number of annuitants connected with the Fund is 84.

The number of widows is 87, as per statement attached.

It is our painful duty to report that the following ministers, annuitants and rate-payers have been called to their reward during the past year:—Rev. W. M. Fraser, B.A., B.Sc., Rev. J. A. Pritchard, Rev. J. A. Kennedy, Rev. J. G. Potter, Rev. G. A. MacLennan, D.D., Rev. D. A. Robertson, Rev. D. A. Ferguson, Rev. R. J. Craig, D.D., Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, D.D., Rev. John Stenhouse, M.A., M.D., Rev. R. J. Campbell, Rev. G. M. Dunn, Rev. A. G. Cameron, D.D., Rev. John Harris, Ph.D., Rev. John P. MacInnes, Rev. S. B. Hillocks, LL.B., Rev. R. J. Douglas, Rev. Harry C. Fraser, M.A.

Goal

The Pension Fund has before it the goal of a pension of $1,000.00 after forty years of service and reaching the age of 70, for ministers, and $500.00 for widows and orphans and in order to reach this goal a plan adopted by the Assembly called for rates from ministers, interest on endowment, contribution from budget and contribution from congregations according to the following scale:—

> "All charges having the services of a minister and paying stipend, are requested by Act of the General Assembly to pay into the Pension Board Treasury according to the following sliding scale, *viz.*:—'That charges receiving aid, that is those charges that pay less than $1,800.00 a year, pay into the Fund an amount equal to 2 per cent of the stipend they pay to their ministers; that charges paying $1,800.00 and under $2,500.00 pay an amount equal to 3 per cent into the Pension Fund, and that charges paying $2,500.00 a year stipend and up, pay an amount equal to 5 per cent into the Pension Fund each year.' "

Regarding the rates for ministers, the Fund has at the present time $14,963.00 of arrears.

The interest on endowment is constant. The contribution required from the budget has been more than cut in two and the contributions from congregations have pretty largely dwindled away.

However, your Board felt that we were on the eve of better times and in view of the above condition, just stated, sent out a letter to all congregations conveying to them the Assembly's request according to the scale above stated. The response in money from this source amounts to only $2,201.00.

Your Board feels that in view of the above, some forward move ought to be initiated if the Fund is going to be maintained on a sound basis in the years to come.

Emergency Fund

One of the great needs of the Church at the present time is to have some means whereby the emergent needs of ministers who fall by the way, through illness, or widows whose husbands were not connected with the Fund and find themselves in dire straits, requiring help. For this purpose the Board requires from $3,000.00 to $5,000.00 a year but during the past few years very little money has come to this Fund, and your Board is desirous of bringing before the attention of the Church this great need, trusting that some revenue may be derived from this source.

PENSION FUND—ANNUITIES PAID, 1937

Year Ending January 31st, 1938

Ministers		*Paid*
Anderson, Rev. David	Toronto, Ont.	$240.00
Anderson, Rev. John D.	Beauharnois, Que.	37.10
Atkinson, Rev. George	Toronto, Ont.	146.57
Barnett, Rev. John H.	Goderich, Ont.	561.50
Barnes, Rev. E.	Duncan, B.C.	60.25
Beaton, Rev. L.	Markham, Ont.	567.90
Boyle, Rev. Robt.	Paris, Ont.	115.62
Bradford, Rev. Charles C.	United States	92.44
Brown, Rev. Hugh	Havelock, Ont.	382.50
Budge, Rev. A. L.	Hamilton, Ont.	600.00
Cameron, Rev. Hugh	Ottawa, Ont.	600.00
Cameron, Rev. D. G.	Swift Current, Sask.	367.49
Campbell, Rev. M. C.	Toronto, Ont.	120.00
Campbell, Rev. Neil	Barrie, Ont.	228.13
Colquhoun, Rev. J. G. A.	Moncton, N.B.	240.00
Craig, Rev. R. J.	Demorestville, Ont. (Deceased)	300.00
Craise, Rev. A.	Sackville, N.B.	600.00
Cree, Rev. M. F.	Ailsa Craig, Ont.	133.65
Cropper, Rev. J. B.	c/o Presbyterian College, Montreal	600.00
Dodds, Rev. Thos.	Corunna, Ont.	438.45
Douglas, Rev. R. J.	New Westminster, B.C. (Deceased)	578.13
Drumm, Rev. A. H.	Hamilton, Ont.	600.00
Duncan, Rev. Geo. P.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Elder, Rev. John	London, Ont.	96.00
Fisher, Rev. Peter	Winnipeg, Man.	$450.00
Forbes, Rev. Alex.	Toronto, Ont.	600.00
Fowler, Rev. W. J.	Montreal, Que.	581.24
France, Rev. Wm.	Markham, Ont.	81.80
Fraser, Rev. J. Keir	Alberton, P.E.I.	295.00
Glassford, Rev. T. S.	Albernie, B.C.	600.00
Graeb, Rev. S. C.	Toronto, Ont.	240.00
Grant, Rev. Hugh R.	Fort William, Ont.	324.65
Graham, Rev. D. J.	Calgary, Alta.	219.00
Hanna, Rev. W. G.	Toronto, Ont.	352.51
Herdman, Rev. A. W. K.	Brantford, Ont.	600.00

PENSION FUND—ANNUITIES PAID, 1937—*Continued*

Ministers		*Paid*
Hosie, Rev. John	St. Thomas, Ont	347.48
Honeyman, Rev. R.	Holstein, Ont	115.90
Innis, Rev. Bryce	Vancouver, B.C	192.00
Jaffray, Rev. J. M.	Toronto, Ont	43.00
Johnston, Rev. Robt.	St. Catharines, Ont	270.00
Kellock, Rev. J. McC.	Vancouver, B.C	503.56
Larkin, Rev. F. H.	Toronto, Ont	600.00
Lawrence, Rev. S.	Whitby, Ont	233.33
Lee, Rev. Ed.	Winnipeg, Man	171.00
Lindsay, Rev. John	Whitby, Ont	488.00
Lister, Rev. David	Vancouver, B.C	220.00
Lougheed, Rev. G. E.	Brandon, Man	234.80
Lowry, Rev. Chas. H.	Toronto, Ont	234.00
Macdonald, Rev. Ewen	Toronto, Ont	237.67
Mackay, Rev. G. J.	Toronto, Ont	417.50
MacLean, Rev. Hector N.	Vancouver, B.C	288.00
MacLeod, Rev. P. A.	Maxville, Ont. (Deceased)	150.00
Macleod, Rev. J. Wilson	Liverpool, England	60.48
McConachie, Rev. J. C.	Toronto, Ont. (Deceased)	26.59
McGregor, Rev. Geo.	Prescott, Ont	174.00
McInnis, Rev. J. P.	Lipton, Sask. (Deceased)	181.86
McKenzie, Rev. D. A.	South Monaghan, Ont	433.50
McKenzie, Rev. W. T.	Paris, Ont	139.84
McKnight, Rev. Robt.	Moose Jaw, Sask	96.25
McMullen, Rev. A. J.	Markham, Ont	420.05
McNabb, Rev. Peter	Victoria, B.C	400.00
McNair, Rev. John	London, Ont	413.99
McQueen, Rev. E.	Victoria, B.C	413.77
Millar, Rev. R. J.	Lachute, Que	246.88
Munro, Rev. D.	North Battleford, Sask	202.50
Mustard, Rev. J. A.	Toronto, Ont	210.78
Murray, Rev. Allister	Sherbrooke, Que	457.50
Oswald, Rev. T.	New Westminster, B.C	390.00
Paterson, Rev. Robert	Glenboro, Man	180.00
Potter, Rev. J. G.	Montreal, Que. (Deceased)	600.00
Reid, Rev. W. D.	Montreal, Que	250.00
Simons, Rev. Wm.	Edmonton, Alta	330.00
Simpson, Rev. J. L.	Markham, Ont	487.49
Simpson, Rev. Robt.	Brooklin, Ont	102.50
Skene, Rev. James	Norwich, Ont	152.99
Steven, Rev. James	Montreal, Que	202.48
Sutherland, Rev. Angus	Priceville, Ont	192.00
Taylor, Rev. T. Wardlaw	Goderich, Ont	538.75
Thomson, Rev. W. McC.	Durham, N.S	144.00
Townley, Rev. D. J.	North Ireland	156.00
Walker, Rev. D.	Victoria, B.C	18.00
West, Rev. W. J.	Stratford, Ont	385.00
Whillans, Rev. G.	Westmount, Que	600.00
Wilson, Rev. Thomas	Vancouver, B.C	600.00
		$26,203.37

PENSION FUND—ANNUITIES PAID, 1937—*Continued*

Widows		*Paid*
Annand, Mrs. M. A. R.	Toronto, Ont	$300.00
Beattie, Mrs. W. T.	Winnipeg, Man	300.00
Boyd, Mrs. Andrew	Port Arthur, Ont	200.00
Burnett, Mrs. E. (3 children)	Niagara Falls, Ont	375.00
Campbell, Mrs. A. U.	Chatham, Ont	300.00
Clay, Mrs. W. L.	Victoria, B.C	250.00
Cockburn, Mrs. J.	St. Catharines, Ont	300.00
Colquhoun, Mrs. P. M.	Havelock, Ont	108.00
Craw, Mrs. W. W.	Toronto, Ont	300.00
Crawford, Mrs. M. R.	United States	300.00
Dawson, Mrs. A.	Halifax, N.S	300.00
Douglas, Mrs. R. J.	New Westminster, B.C	53.50
Drysdale, Mrs. B.	Montreal, Que	300.00
Fee, Mrs. E. E.	Peterborough, Ont	300.00
Ferguson, Mrs. A.	Halifax, N.S	300.00
Ferguson, Mrs. H.	Chesley, Ont	300.00
Fletcher, Mrs. P. E.	Hamilton, Ont	300.00
Gibson, Mrs. L. B.	Toronto, Ont	300.00
Goforth, Mrs. Jonathan	Toronto, Ont	200.00
Greer, Mrs. J.	Belfast, Ireland	300.00
Hanna, Mrs. R. M.	Toronto, Ont	200.00
Hannahson, Mrs. A. E.	Strathroy, Ont	300.00
Hardy, Mrs. M. F.	Vankleek Hill, Ont	75.00
Hastie, Mrs. I.	United States (Deceased)	354.00
Hemphill, Mrs. M. A. (2 children)	Hamiota, Man	300.00
Henderson, Mrs. Ida A.	Chatham, N.B	300.00
Hewitt, Mrs. M.	Fergus, Ont	66.67
Hillocks, Mrs. S. B.	Calgary, Alta	200.00
Hirst, Mrs. E. E.	England	300.00
Hutchinson, Mrs. C. M.	New York, U.S.A	300.00
Kippan, Mrs. E.	Stratford, Ont	300.00
Lang, Mrs. E.	Edmonton, Alta	255.83
Leathem, Mrs. M. E.	Montreal, Que	360.00
Ledingham, Mrs. R. B. (3 children)	Weston, Ont	300.00
Lewis, Mrs. W. J.	Toronto, Ont	225.00
Linton, Mrs. A. R.	Port Credit, Ont. (Deceased)	237.50
Little, Mrs. A. M.	Westport, Ont	300.00
Love, Mrs. A. T.	Quebec, Que	300.00
Lord, Mrs. C. S.	Fenelon Falls, Ont	92.80
MacBean, Dr. Jessie	Toronto, Ont	200.00
MacFarlane, Mrs. A.	Scotland	200.00
MacGregor, Mrs. Alex.	Toronto, Ont	237.50
MacKenzie, Mrs. A. B.	Montreal, Que	300.00
MacKenzie, Mrs. Margaret	Stratford, Ont	300.00
MacKenzie, Mrs. Mary	Winnipeg, Man	325.00
MacKay, Mrs. D. O.	Elmsdale, N.S	300.00
Mackintosh, Mrs. F. G.	Cromarty, Ont	283.33
MacLeod, Mrs. E. A.	Maxville, Ont	300.00
MacLeod, Mrs. K.	Maxville, Ont	300.00
MacPhee, Mrs. S. D.	Avonmore, Ont	300.00
MacVicar, Mrs. M.	Valleyfield West, P.E.I	256.25
McConachie, Mrs. J. C.	Toronto, Ont	262.50
McConnell, Mrs. J. A. (1 child)		250.00
McCorkindale, Mrs. T. B.	Toronto, Ont	250.00
McCullough, Mrs. M. E.	Uxbridge, Ont	300.00
McGillivray, Mrs. M. R.	Toronto, Ont	300.00
McQueen, Mrs. C.	Edmonton, Alta	250.00
Marsh, Mrs. D. B.	Milton West, Ont	200.00
Mathieson, Mrs. Peter	Hamilton, Ont	300.00
Miller, Mrs. A. M.	Toronto, Ont	300.00
Milne, Mrs. L.	Toronto, Ont. (Deceased)	

PENSION FUND—ANNUITIES PAID, 1937—*Continued*

	Widows	*Paid*
Mitchell, Mrs. G.	Cote des Neiges, Que.	$300.00
Mitchener, Mrs. B. M.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Muir, Mrs. Bruce	New York, U.S.A.	300.00
Nicol, Mrs. M.	Simcoe, Ont. (Deceased)	150.00
Oliver, Mrs. A. S. (1 child)	Rodney, Ont.	330.00
Paterson, Mrs. J. J.	Sarnia, Ont.	250.00
Patterson, Mrs. W.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Potter, Mrs. J. G.	Montreal, Que.	37.50
Reeves, Mrs. A. C.	Toronto, Ont.	237.50
Reid, Mrs. H. O.	New Haven, Conn., U.S.A.	300.00
Richardson, Mrs. W. G.	Waterloo, Ont.	250.00
Robertson, Mrs. D. A. (3 children)	Toronto, Ont.	117.18
Robson, Miss Bertha	Glenmorris, Ont.	52.76
Rogers, Mrs. T. H.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Scott, Mrs. G. S. (2 children)	Ingersoll, Ont.	354.00
Scott, Mrs. R. S.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Shaver, Mrs. J. A.	Montreal, Que.	300.00
Sinclair, Mrs. Laura	Regina, Sask.	300.00
Smith, Mrs. M. M. C.	Thamesford, Ont.	300.00
Smith, Mrs. M. McK.	Toronto, Ont.	330.00
Smith, Mrs. S. G (1 child)	Belfast, Ireland	200.00
Smith, Mrs. W. G.	Apsley, Ont.	300.00
Sutherland, Mrs. M.	Edmonton, Alta.	150.00
Thomson, Mrs. A. F.	Truro, N.S. (Deceased)	300.00
Turnbull, Mrs. L. J.	Hamilton, Ont.	300.00
Wilkie, Mrs. A. W.	Toronto, Ont.	$22,826.82

SUMMARY

A. and I.		$26,203.37
W. and O.	$22,826.82	
Less returned	62.50	
		22,764.32
Total paid		$48,967.69

PENSION FUND BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st JANUARY, 1938

Assets

Cash in Bank		$ 18,806.08
Investments (book value):		
Bonds and Debentures	$752,742.66	
Mortgages	24,106.88	
		776,849.54
Interest Due and Accrued on Investments		9,535.94
Receivable from Church Budget	$31,462.86	
Receivable from Church Budget (subsequently paid on March, 1938)	5,000.00	
		36,462.86
		$841,654.42

Liabilities

Capital Account as at 31st January, 1937		$763,808.13	
Additions thereto:			
Ministers' Rates	$13,874.84		
Congregations	2,201.44		
W.M.S. (W.D.)	1,278.33		
Estates	8,961.54		
Gifts	400.00		
		26,716.15	
		$790,524.28	
Deduct: Refunds		1,258.45	
Capital as at 31st January, 1938			$789,265.83
Income Account as at 31st January, 1937		$61,062.22	
Add:			
Interest on Investments	$34,950.05		
Bank Interest	273.25		
Interest on Amount Owing from Budget	1,486.48		
Interest *re* Ministers' Rates	57.01		
From Church Budget, 1937	5,000.00		
		41,766.79	
		$102,829.01	
Deduct:			
Annuities	$48,967.69		
Expenses	1,508.80		
		50,476.49	
			52,352.52
Emergency Fund as at 31st January, 1937	$170.95		
Add:			
Returned	30.00		
		$200.95	
Deduct:			
Grants		164.88	
Balance as at 31st January, 1938			36.07
			$841,654.42

RECOMMENDATIONS

Re Retiring Ministers

That the Rev. Daniel Walker, Presbytery of Victoria, B.C., age 70, with 12 years of service, be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $72.00, commencing October 1, 1937.

That the Rev. Donald H. Currie, Presbytery of Hamilton, age 73 years, with 34 years and 2 months of service be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $349.00, commencing January 1, 1938.

That Rev. W. T. McKenzie, Presbytery of Chatham, age 70 years, with 26 years and 3 months of service, be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $279.68, commencing July 1st, 1937.

That Rev. Robert Boyle, Presbytery of Peterborough, age 70 years, with 37 years' service, be granted leave to retire, with an annuity of $370.00, commencing September 1, 1937.

THAT the Rev. James Wilson, D.D., Presbytery of Toronto, age 73 years, with 44 years and 10 months' service, be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $240.00, as a non-rate-paying minister in A. and I. Fund; commencing at the time of his retirement.

THAT the Rev. John Buchanan, of Amkhut, Central India, be granted leave to retire if and when all the documents are in the possession of the Board.

Re WIDOWS

THAT an annuity of $300.00 be granted to Mrs. R. J. Douglas, widow of the late Rev. R. J. Douglas, commencing October 27, 1937.

THAT an annuity of $200.00 be granted to Mrs. J. G. Potter, widow of the late Rev. James G. Potter, commencing October 24, 1937.

THAT an annuity of $300.00 be granted to Mrs. A. J. MacGillivray, widow of the late Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, commencing January 1, 1938.

THAT an annuity of $300.00 be granted to Mrs. John A. Pritchard, widow of the late Rev. John A. Pritchard, commencing January 29, 1938.

THAT an annuity of $200.00 be granted to Mrs. J. A. Kennedy, widow of the late Rev. J. A. Kennedy, commencing March 4, 1938.

THAT an annuity of $300.00 be granted to Mrs. A. G. Cameron, widow of the late Rev. A. G. Cameron, commencing February 21, 1938.

THAT as soon as conditions will make it possible that someone be set aside to place the interests of the Pension Fund before the Church.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN LINDSAY,
Chairman.

D. T. L. McKERROLL,
Executive Secretary.

REPORT OF THE DEACONESS COMMITTEE AND BOARD OF MANAGEMENT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY AND DEACONESS TRAINING HOME

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Annual Report of the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home is divided under the following headings:—

RESIDENCE AND STUDENTS

Twenty-six students have been resident in the Training Home. Of these ten have been enrolled in the regular Deaconess Course, one in the one-year Volunteer Worker's Course, five in special courses preparatory to church work, one missionary on furlough, and nine in the various faculties of the University of Toronto.

It is interesting to note that the household includes: a Japanese young lady, a Chinese student, two Indian students from our own residential school at Kenora, a daughter of our Formosan mission, and the first young woman to enter for training from the Peace River. There is also an accepted candidate for Manchuria, an accepted candidate for India, a missionary nurse home on her first furlough, and a graduate deaconess attached to a city church. There have been no cases of sickness in the Home apart from a slight visitation of "flu."

GRADUATES AND EMPLOYMENT

At the time of writing fifty-three are in active service as missionaries and deaconesses. All recent graduates have found employment, but the graduating class of 1937-38 have unfortunately no prospects of work at present.

LECTURES AND STAFF

Again we bring to the attention of the Church the generous support of the local ministry who, in addition to their own work, have taken time to lecture to the Deaconesses-in-Training. To Rev. W. T. McCree, Rev. E. Foreman, Rev. Dr. Paulin, Rev. Dr. Parker, Rev. Jos. Wasson, Rev. C. K. Nicoll, Rev. Dr. Kannawin, we express the appreciative thanks of the Board, Principal and students. This year, largely through the financial support of the W.M.S. (W.D.) it has been possible to add to the staff an additional lecturer in the person of Mrs. Goldwin Smith, an honour graduate of Wycliffe College, but Presbyterian by tradition and membership. The request of our Board for a special grant to provide honoraria for those lecturers who gave voluntary service was granted by the General Assembly, but because of the Church's financial stringency, we did not ask the Board of Administration to carry out the wishes of the Assembly in this regard.

ALLOCATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Again reduced to an allocation of $3,600.00, it has not been possible for your Board to keep within that amount. Unexpected and necessary repairs had to be made which brought the total sum spent for maintenance, wages and salary to $3,970.76. In addition we received from Knox Church Trust Fund a sum of $500.00 to help with much needed repair to our furnaces.

Although permission was given by last General Assembly to undertake the

project of building an addition to the Training Home for university students and class rooms, no attempt has been made to collect funds for this purpose, in obedience to a request of the Board of Administration. The Deaconess Board hopes, however, that the Assembly will not permit this matter to be shelved too long, as the need is urgent for proper accommodation for its women students.

No report of the year would be complete without tribute paid to the memory of Dr. John Stenhouse. Through the history of the Training Home the life and influence of Dr. Stenhouse have been much in evidence, enriching the counsels of the Board, and the spiritual, mental and physical life of the students and graduates. The Training Home has been fortunate in being one of the heart-interests of Dr. Stenhouse's life, and it is our prayerful hope that we may continue to be worthy of his memory.

WINNIFRED FERGUSON,
Principal.

Deaconess Training Home Annual Report, 1937-1938

Last year your Board called the attention of the Assembly to the excellent work which the Principal of the Deaconess Training Home had wrought in the previous ten years; but pointed out that such work, by its very nature, had imposed a very severe strain upon this most efficient and self-sacrificing servant of the Church. This year we regret exceedingly to inform the Assembly and the Church, that this strain has taken its toll to such an extent that your Board has had to make arrangements for a protracted leave of absence on the part of the Principal, in the hope that a complete rest will restore her fully to health and duty.

In this connection we should like to express our appreciation of the fine spirit of co-operation shown by the Board of Administration, by which we found the way made easy to make suitable arrangements for carrying on the work in the Training Home during the Principal's absence.

We are pleased to report that the academic work of the students was maintained at the same standard of efficiency as in the past.

Because of the Principal's illness and the adjustments which had to be made in consequence, your Board found it necessary to meet oftener than usual, and because of this, are impressed with the necessity of having an Executive Committee with authority to care for matters which may arise unexpectedly, and which require immediate attention. We should like also to point out to the Assembly the futility of appointing to our Board persons so far removed from Toronto that they cannot be expected to attend Board meetings; and thus leaving so few active members on the Board that difficulty is experienced in carrying on our work.

Your Board is very much perturbed over the fact that not one of this year's graduates had a position in view when she received her diploma at graduation. We feel that the Church at large is not yet seized with the importance of the work which the Deaconess Training Home is doing, nor aware of the splendid opportunity which congregations have of increasing their efficiency and spiritual influence, by the employment of deaconesses trained in our own School. We believe the General Assembly could do much to help this situation by recommending to Presbyteries that congregations within their bounds avail themselves, as far as possible, of the services of these young women who have given themselves so willingly and sacrificially, to the Church of their Fathers.

We recommend as follows:—

1. That the Presidents and Candidate Secretaries of the Women's Missionary Societies, Eastern and Western Divisions, be *ex-officio* members of the Deaconess Board; and that their names be printed in the list of Board members in the Assembly Minutes.

2. *Re:* "Three-year rule *re* Standing Committees." That the present rule which prohibits the re-appointment of those who have served three years, provide that not more than one-third of the members who have completed three years of service on any Board be eligible for immediate re-appointment.

A. R. SKINNER,
Chairman.

The following Courses were taken by students:—

Diplomas and Certificates Awarded as Follows:—

1. *Two-year Missionary and Deaconess Courses:—*
   Graduating Class with School Diploma:—

Miss Fay F. McTavish	Shakespeare, Ont.
Miss Anne K. MacVicar	Catalone, C.B., N.S.
Miss J. Elizabeth Irving	Preston, Ont.
Miss Rosetta W. Moors	Edmonton, Alta.
Miss Margaret F. Kennedy	Montreal, Que.
Miss Nellie Smith (extra-mural)	Toronto, Ont.

2. *First Year Class with Certificates:—*

Miss Pauline W. Esler	Vancouver, B.C.
Miss Margaret A. Campbell	Pouce Coupe, B.C.
Miss Thelma G. Martin	Sudbury, Ont.
Miss Marjorie K. MacKay	Bracebridge, Ont.
Miss Anna Mackay	Tamsui, Formosa, Japan

3. *Special Students—Volunteer Workers' Course (one year):—*

Miss Dorothy Duncan	McDonald's Corners, Ont.

Scholarships and Prizes Awarded

General Proficiency (Graduating Class)		Miss Margaret Kennedy
General Proficiency (First Year)		Miss Anna Mackay
The Alumnæ Scholarship		Miss Margaret Kennedy
Special Award for Excellence in Year's Work	(First)	Miss Margaret Kennedy
	(Second)	Miss Fay F. McTavish

Presbyterian Missionary and Deaconess Training Home
Financial Statement for the Year Ending 31st January, 1938

Amount spent from the Budget Fund for the following items: Advertising, Printing, Coal, Taxes, Repairs, Board Travelling Expenses, Salary and Wages, Insurance and Tuition		$3,970.76

Maintenance Account

Receipts

Balance on Hand, 1st February, 1937	$ 206.84	
Interest on Bonds	165.52	
Loan from Savings Account	50.00	
Maintenance Received	4,961.32	
		$5,383.68

Disbursements

Gas, Telephone, Electric Light, Repair Equipment, Laundry, Food, Ice, Coal, Extra Wages, Refund	$4,653.87	
Balance in Current Account, 31st January, 1938	729.81	
		$5,383.68

Savings Account

Receipts

Balance on Hand, 1st February, 1937	$ 54.90	
Bank Interest	2.18	
Bond Interest	105.63	
W.M.S. (E.D.)	50.00	
W.M.S. (W.D.)	100.00	
Transfer from Current Account	50.00	
		$362.71

Disbursements

Loan to Current Account	$ 50.00	
To Tuition	200.00	
Balance on Hand, 31st January, 1938	112.71	
		$362.71

Bursary Account

Receipts

Balance on Hand, 1st February, 1937	$329.96	
Bank Interest	6.70	
Donations	121.74	
Transfer from Current Account	40.00	
		$498.40

Disbursements

Student Expense	$100.00	
Purchase of Bond	225.25	
Balance on Hand, 31st January, 1938	173.15	
		$498.40

Bond and Bank Balances

Bond Investments—Boarding Department (par value)	$6,000.00
Bursary Fund (par value)	300.00
Bank Balances—Maintenance Account	729.81
Savings Account	112.71
Bursary Account	173.15

CERTIFICATE

We have compared the foregoing figures with the books and accounts of the Presbyterian Missionary and Deaconess Training Home and certify that they are in agreement therewith.

HENRY BARBER, MAPP & MAPP,
Chartered Accountants.

19th March, 1938.

ASSIGNMENTS

The following assignments have been approved and accepted by the Board:—

Miss G. Ione Gordon—Deaconess-at-large, W.M.S. (W.D.), Pouce Coupe, B.C.

Miss Gertrude M. Rollo—Deaconess-at-large, W.M.S. (W.D.), Brownvale, Alta.

Miss Florence MacNeill—Deaconess-at-large, W.M.S. (E.D.), Hampton, N.B.

Miss Marion McLennan—Teacher and Deaconess, W.M.S. (E.D.), Chalmers Jack, C.B., N.S.

Miss Gladys Murphy—Deaconess-at-large, W.M.S. (E.D.), Noel Rd., Hants Co., N.S.

Miss Roberta Smith—Assistant at Neighbourhood House, Hamilton, Ont.

Miss Martha Hamilton—Congregational Deaconess (Temporary), Stanley Church, Montreal, Que.

Miss Estelle V. McKenzie—Deaconess, W.M.S. (E.D.), Strathcona, N.S.

Miss Susan Sylvester—Travelling Deaconess, W.M.S. (E.D.), Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

Miss Grace Wood—Congregational Deaconess (permanent), Knox Church, Toronto.

BURSARIES, SCHOLARSHIPS AND DONATIONS

Your Board wishes to acknowledge the receipt of the following:—

Mrs. E. S. Turnbull	$ 50.00
Knox W.M.S. (St. Mary's)	10.00
W.M.S. (Western Division)	100.00
W.M.S. (Eastern Division)	50.00
Miss E. Steed	25.00
Miss E. S. Burns (Bursary Bond)	104.22
Thornton, Baxter and Ivy (W.M.S.)	15.00
Miss E. S. Burns (Interest and Scholarship)	36.28
Miss E. S. Turnbull (Scholarships)	50.00

In addition quilts and fruit most gratefully received.

Designated Missionaries and Deaconesses, Graduates and Short-Course Students of the Training Home, 156 St. George Street, Toronto

**Part-time*	Dr. Jessie MacBean	Canadian Chinese Institute (W.M.S.) (W.D.), Toronto	1905
Part-time	Mrs. R. G. Hammill (Euphemia Cromar)	197 Albany Ave., Toronto	1908
**Graduate*	Elizabeth Whitehead	115 Alcina Ave., Toronto	1908
Part-time	Mrs. W. Clarke Elliott (E. C. MacDougall)	Sussex, N.B.	1911
**Graduate*	Elizabeth Gibson	134 Carlton St., Toronto	1911
**Graduate*	Agnes Johnston	R.R. No. 2, Millbrook, Ont.	1911
**Conferred*	Marie C. Rattee (deceased)	Formerly Redemptive Home	1911
**Conferred*	Martha Smith (deceased)	Formerly Knox Church, Toronto	1911
**Conferred*	Cora Sinclair	95 Ludlow St. West, Saint John West, N.B.	1912
**Graduate*	Bessie L. Kirkwood	Knox Crescent Church, Montreal	1912
**Graduate*	Mary Gilchrist	C/o Miss Osborne, 867 College St., Toronto	1913
**Graduate*	Mrs. Gillespie (Sadie Dick)	413 Strathmore Block, Toronto	1913
**Graduate*	Charlotte Moore	Acton, Ont.	1914
**Graduate*	Margaret Allan	W.M.S. (W.D.) 43 London Ave., Hamilton, Ont.	1915
Graduate	Marjorie McIllwraith	17 Caroline St.E., Burlington, Ont.	1915
**Graduate*	Lily Macarthur	W.M.S. (W.D.) Deaconess-at-large, Kirkland Lake, Ont.	1916
**Graduate*	Kathryn MacDonald	183 Ruby St., Winnipeg, Man.	1916
**Graduate*	Frances Laird (deceased)	Toronto	1917
**Graduate*	Mrs. Bessie Mitchener	898 Bathurst St., Toronto	1917
**Graduate*	Annie Noble	Queen Street East Presbyterian Church, Toronto	1917
**Graduate*	Susan Sylvester	New Glasgow, N.S.	1917
Part-time	Mary Hugill	West Flamboro, Ont.	1917
Part-time	Anna McDougall	Kincardine, Ont.	1917
**Graduate*	M. Alberta Cruickshank	898 Bathurst St., Toronto	1918
**Graduate*	Mrs. Dunbar (Margaret McKague)	609 St. Clarens Ave., Toronto	1918
**Graduate*	Jean D. Roy (R.N.)	3740 John R. St., Detroit, Mich.	1919
**Graduate*	Anne Whitby	Knox Church House, Toronto	1919
**Graduate*	Helen V. Bentley	Florence Crittenden Hospital, Detroit, Mich	1920
**Graduate*	Louise McMorran	23 Avenue Rd., Apt. 72, Toronto	1920
**Graduate*	Christina Currie	47 Binscarth Rd., Toronto	1920
**Graduate*	Christina Moffat	St. Andrew's Church, King St., Toronto	1920
Part-time	Jean McGregor	Branksome Hall, 10 Elm Ave., Toronto	1920

Part-time	Myrtle MacKinnon	Redemptive Home, 123 Yorkville Ave., Toronto	1920
**Conferred*	Mrs. Isabel Currie (deceased)	Formerly Knox Church, Toronto	1922
**Graduate*	Estelle V. McKenzie	W.M.S. (E.D.), Strathcona, N.S.	1922
**Part-time*	Mrs. A. Hawtin	C.P. Mission, Jhansi, U.P., India	1923
**Conferred*	Mrs. J. C. Howey	492 Agnes St., Winnipeg, Man.	1924
**Graduate*	Irene Stringer	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Jhansi, U.P., India	1926
**Graduate*	Mrs. Hugh Jack (Anna Brell)	Box 682, Red Deer, Alta	1928
**Graduate*	Mrs. C. Ritchie Bell (Margaret Clark)	357 De l'Epie Ave., Outremont, Que	1928
**Graduate*	Mrs. R. F. Line (Sybil Crawford)	31419 Baker St., San Francisco, California	1928
**Graduate*	Mrs. Albert E. Morrison (Hazel Deane)	Titusville, N.B.	1928
**Graduate*	Jean C. MacLean	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Kobe, Japan	1928
**Graduate*	Dorothy Douglas	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Tansui, Formosa, Japan	1928
**Graduate*	Margaret M. Ramsay	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Taihoku, Formosa, Japan	1928
**Graduate*	Mrs. J. Watson (S. Murray, B.A.)	The Manse, Rogers Presbyterian Church, Toronto	1928
**Graduate*	Mrs. W. D. Hildred (Dorothy Jenkinson)	107307-110th St., Edmonton, Alta.	1928
**Part-time*	Lily Simpson, R.N	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Jhansi, U.P., India	1928
**Part time*	Ethel Chisholm, R.N	W.M.S. (W.D.), Mackay Memorial Hospital, Taihoku, Formosa, Japan	1928
**Graduate*	Ruby Johnston	W.M.S. (E.D.), Strathcona, N.S.	1929
**Graduate*	Ethel MacDonald	W.M.S. (E.D.), C.P. Mission, Kobe, Japan	1929
**Graduate*	Lois McRae	Central Presbyterian Church, Galt, Ont	1929
**Graduate*	Mrs. I. Smith (Rose Patton)	Dutton, Ont	1929
**Graduate*	Mrs. R. W. Tanner (Edna Rogers)	421½ State St., Los Angeles, Calif	1929
Graduate	Mary Tawse	R.R. No. 3, Guelph, Ont	1929
Part-time	Mrs. Waugh (Margaret Jamieson)	C/o Rev. Peter Jamieson, Vancouver, B.C.	1929
**Graduate*	Elise Barlow	Church of England Mission, Palm Grove, Princes Town, Trinidad, B.W.I	1930
**Graduate*	Mrs. M. Spaulding (Annie Beaton)	138 Browning Ave., Toronto	1930
**Graduate*	Ellen I. Douglas	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Jobat, C.I.	1930
**Part-time*	Mary Anderson	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Kobe, Japan	1930
**Graduate*	Isabella T. Hunter	Presbyterian Publications, Toronto, Ont	1930
**Graduate*	Mrs. Angus Brown (Elizabeth MacDougall)	Dartmouth, N.S	1930
**Graduate*	Mrs. Angus MacKay (Catherine Moodie)	C.P. Mission, Jhansi, U.P., India	1930
**Graduate*	Mrs. L. McLean (Frances Blair)	Knox Manse, Leamington, Ont.	1930
**Graduate*	Gladys M. Murphy	W.M.S. (E.D.), C.P. Mission, Kobe, Japan	1930
		Furlough address—Noel Rd., Hants Co., N.S.	
**Graduate*	Helen M. Ross	W.M.S. (W.D.), 2126 Osler St., Regina, Sask	1930
**Graduate*	Mrs. C. Steinmetz (Beatrice Bernath)	W.M.S. (W.D.), Hungarian Mission, 30 Bernard Ave., Toronto	1930

**Part-time*	Mildred Soutar (deceased)	W.M.S. (W.D.), formerly of Amkhut, India	1930
**Graduate*	Mary G. Todd	Formerly W.M.S. (W.D.), Brownvale, Alta	1930
		113 Clifton Park Rd., Belfast, Ireland	
**Graduate*	Mrs. M. Fesenko (Julia Meystrowich)	152 Donlands Ave., Toronto	1930
**Graduate*	Mrs. J. M. Ritchie (Evelyn Forsythe)	The Manse, Hillsdale, Ont	1931
Graduate	Mrs. C. D. Armstrong (Anne Hayman)	Truro, N.S	1931
**Part-time*	Hildur K. Hermanson, R.N	W.M.S. (W.D.), Mackay Memorial Hospital, Taihoku, Formosa, Japan	1931
		Furlough address—1023 Alder Ave., Moose Jaw, Sask.	
**Graduate*	Mary A. MacKenzie	W.M.S. (E.D.), Glace Bay, Cape Breton	1931
Part-time	Florence Manzer, B.A	Nashwaak Bridge, N.B	1931
**Graduate*	Isabel Taylor, A.T.C.M	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Tansui, Formosa, Japan	1931
		Furlough address—34 Dunedin St., Orillia, Ont.	
**Graduate*	Mrs. J. R. Waldie (Millicent A. Walker)	Arthur, Ont	1931
**Graduate*	Frieda Matthews	W.M.S. (W.D.), Presbytery of Macleod, Shaughnessy, Alta	1931
**Graduate*	Georgie Roy	Toronto, Ont	1931
**Part-time*	Annie Aird	Grand Bay, King's Co., N.B	1932
**Part-time*	Iris Errey, R.N	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Amkhut, India	1932
**Part-time*	Bessie MacMurchy, R.N	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Jobat, India	1932
		Furlough address—Collingwood, Ont.	
**Part-time*	Mrs. J. L. Cheshire (Eleanor McKechnie, R.N.)	C.P. Mission, Jhansi, U.P., India	1932
**Part-time*	Mary McVey	217 George St., Fredericton, N.B.	1932
**Part-time*	Christina Maxwell	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Amkhut, Central India	1932
**Graduate*	Martha Hamilton	Stanley Presbyterian Church, Montreal, Que	1933
**Graduate*	Isabel A. MacDonald	The Manse, Big Bras d'Or, Cape Breton, N.S	1933
**Graduate*	Mrs. A. A. MacGregor (Mora McLeod)	Williamstown, Ont	1933
**Part-time*	Gertrude M. Sherrick	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Amkhut, Central India	1933
**Graduate*	Roberta E. Smith	Neighbourhood House, Hamilton, Ont	1933
Part-time	Vesta Gast	Strathroy, Ont	1933
**Part-time*	Alma M. Burdick	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Tansui, Formosa, Japan	1934
**Graduate*	Grace Irvine	Riverdale Presbyterian Church, Toronto, Ont	1934
Graduate	Mrs. W. H. Waugh (Marian McClive)	1976 Drummond Rd., Niagara Falls, Ont	1934
Part-time	Edith Taylor	Goderich, Ont	1934
**Graduate*	Elizabeth Walker	St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Peterborough, Ont	1934
Part-time	Jean Forsythe	Alberton, P.E.I	1934
Part-time	Mrs. J. S. Glen	47 Fairlawn Avenue, Toronto	1934
**Graduate*	Margaret Ross	Lyon's Brook, Pictou Co., N.S.	1935
**Graduate*	Ruth Heighton, B.A	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Taihoku, Formosa, Japan	1935
**Part-time*	Olwen Davies, B.A	W.M.S. (W.D.), Girls' High School, New Amsterdam, Berbice, British Guiana	1935

*Graduate...	Mabel M. Booth	W.M.S. (W.D.), 916 Spadina Crescent, Saskatoon, Sask.	1935
*Part-time...	Mildred F. Weir, R.N.	W.M.S. (W.D.), Mackay Memorial Hospital, Taihoku, Formosa, Japan	1935
Part-time...	Ruby Walker	Lloydminster, Alta., Presbytery of Edmonton	1935
*Graduate...	Grace E. Wood	Knox Church, Toronto	1936
*Graduate...	Marion E. MacLennan	Chalmers Jack, Cape Breton, N.S.	1936
*Graduate...	Anne M. Storey	W.M.S. (E.D.), 201 Camp St., Georgetown, British Guiana	1936
*Graduate...	Gertrude M. Rollo	W.M.S. (W.D.), Brownvale, Alta.	1937
Graduate...	Florence MacNeill	W.M.S. (E.D.), R.R. 1, Hampton, N.B.	1937
*Graduate...	G. Ione Gordon	W.M.S. (W.D.), Pouce Coupe, B.C.	1937
*Part-time...	Mrs. Mildred Gehman, R.N.	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Szepingkai, Manchuria, via Japan. Home address, Galt, Ont.	1937
*Part-time...	Helena W. Gibbs	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Szepingkai, Manchuria, via Japan. Home address, Simcoe, Ont.	1937
*Graduate...	Fay F. McTavish	R.R. 1, Stratford, Ont.	1938
Graduate...	Rosetta W. Moors	Edmonton, Alta.	1938
Graduate...	Margaret F. Kennedy	Montreal, Que.	1938
Graduate...	Anne K. MacVicar	Catalone, C.B., N.S.	1938
Graduate...	Nellie Smith	W.M.S. Offices, Toronto, Ont.	1938
Graduate...	J. Elizabeth Irving	Preston, Ont.	1938

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REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION IN CERTAIN CASES

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Your Committee appointed to prepare a deliverance as to the ordination of students in course, assistant ministers and catechists, and to define the procedure and status in each case, begs to submit its report.

A careful study of the legislation of the Church since 1875 has been made, but an attempt to make an equally careful survey of the practice of the Church during the same period has served only to reveal something of the uncertainty, even confusion, prevailing in many quarters. Much of this confusion was due to the rapid growth of the Church in the last decade of the nineteenth century and the first dozen years of the present one. After 1910 much was done to introduce a more orderly procedure, but many details have remained indefinite.

As the basis of a better defined procedure, the Committee would present for the consideration of the Assembly the following draft of a Declaratory Act:

Whereas difficulties have been encountered in administering the law of the Church in relation to certain cases of ordination to the ministry, and the Assembly has been asked to prepare a deliverance as to the ordination of students in course, assistant ministers and catechists, and to define the procedure and status in each case:—

The General Assembly would call the attention of all concerned to the following:

(*a*) The Westminster Standards recognize but one order in the ministry of the word.

(*b*) The said Standards declare it to be Scriptural and expedient that ordination should be conferred only upon a call or appointment to some particular field of labour.

(*c*) And that all candidates should be examined as to life and ministerial ability, and especially as to their "skill in the original tongues."

(*d*) Further that, in the theory and uniform practice of this Church, ordination to the ministry of the word and the administration of the sacraments does not of itself confer judicial powers for the government of the Church.

And the Assembly hereby declares that all special legislation as to ordination to the ministry must be interpreted in the light of these principles, and that any apparent deviation from them is solely upon the necessary claims of the work of the Church.

Further the Assembly declares as to the following specific cases:

1. Students in course.

In 1891 (Minutes, p. 51) the General Assembly resolved "That students who have completed the second year of the Theological Curriculum of the Church, and have been appointed to the Home Mission field, may be licensed to preach, and, if necessary, be ordained, but shall not be eligible for settlement in a pastoral charge until they shall have completed the examination of the third theological year; for which purpose examination papers shall be transmitted by the College in which such men have prosecuted their studies to the Presbytery in which they are labouring, to be written on under the care of the Presbytery—the answers to be returned to the College for valuation."

In 1911 (Minutes, p. 60) in view of differences of opinion that had arisen, the Assembly further enacted that: "1. The ordination of a student or catechist is solely for the purpose of increasing his efficiency as a missionary of the Church and does not alter either his status or his remuneration. 2. In the event of a missionary thus ordained being transferred to a field in another Presbytery, he shall not exercise the

functions of an ordained student or catechist unless authorized to do so by formal resolution of the Presbytery."

The Assembly now enacts that a student may be ordained under the above provisions only by leave of the Assembly, which shall be granted only upon application of the Presbytery of the bounds, with the concurrence of the Board of Missions, to facilitate the supply of ordinances in remote or isolated mission fields where it is difficult to obtain the occasional services of an ordained minister.

That when a student is thus ordained in course, the Presbytery shall place his name on the Appendix to the Roll of ministers, and, in the event of his transference to a mission field within the bounds of another Presbytery, shall transmit to such Presbytery a Presbyterial Certificate setting forth the facts of his ordination and special status.

And that it is incumbent on a minister ordained as above to complete the full Theological Curriculum of the Church without unnecessary delay. Should he fail to do so within three years of the date of his ordination, the Presbytery is enjoined to make full inquiry as to all the circumstances of the case and to report, through the Board of Education, to the Assembly which shall make such order as it may deem best.

2. Assistant Ministers.

A licentiate regularly called as colleague or colleague and successor may be ordained and inducted by the Presbytery of the bounds, and shall be deemed to be minister of the congregation within the meaning of sections 115 and 176 of the Book of Forms.

A licentiate regularly called as assistant, without limitation of time, may be ordained by the Presbytery of the bounds in due course, but shall not be deemed a minister of the congregation within the meaning of sections 115 and 176 of the Book of Forms, and his name shall be placed on the Appendix Roll of ministers of the Presbytery.

A minister or licentiate appointed in any other way, and upon whatsoever conditions, is an assistant to the minister only, and as such is not one designated to a particular field of labour within the meaning of our Standards.

A licentiate under appointment as an assistant to a minister may be ordained only under exceptional circumstances, after application made to, and leave granted by, the General Assembly. Such application must be made by the Kirk Session of the congregation concerned, and transmitted by the Presbytery of the bounds with their express approval, and must set forth the peculiar conditions making such ordination necessary.

3. Ordained Catechists.

The General Assembly hereby discharges the use of the term "ordained catechist."

A layman employed in the missionary work of the Church, who has not complied with the full requirements of the theological curriculum of the Church, may be ordained only by special permission of the General Assembly. Any Presbytery applying for such permission must, with its application, furnish the Assembly with a full written statement (*a*) of the mission work already performed by the candidate, (*b*) of such educational qualifications as he may possess, and (*c*) of the sphere of labour for which such ordination is sought. The Assembly, taking full cognizance of the circumstances of each individual case, shall issue the matter as it may deem wise.

Should permission be granted, ordination must be to the ministry of the word, and shall be subject to all the provisions of the legislation of 1911 set forth above. The Presbytery shall place the name of the minister thus specially ordained upon its Appendix Roll of ministers, and he shall not be eligible for settlement in a pastoral charge or a seat in the Courts of the Church without further and special action of the Assembly.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. WARDLAW TAYLOR,
Convener.

BOARD OF SABBATH SCHOOLS AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies respectfully presents the following report for the past church year.

Your Board met in the schoolroom of St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, on March 17th and 18th, and reviewed in detail the work of the year.

The General Secretary

The General Secretary reported that throughout the year the office had kept in touch with the work in all parts of the Dominion. During 1937 he did field work in every province, having visited the Maritimes and Quebec in January and February, and Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia during September, October and November. He paid tribute to the splendid work being done by the Sabbath School superintendents, teachers, and officers, all across this far-flung country. He attended Summer Schools and training Camps, Sabbath School Conventions and Young People's Rallies. He conducted Teacher Training classes in Sherbrooke, Montreal, Saskatoon, Edmonton and New Westminster, and gave a course of lectures on S.S. and Y.P.S. work in Knox College, The Presbyterian College, Montreal, and The Missionary and Deaconess Training Home.

He made special reference to the faithful and efficient service of the office secretary, Miss Doris Winchester, who, in addition to her regular work, gave much time and attention to the work amongst children in the Beginners, Primary and Junior Departments of the Sabbath School.

Girls' Work Secretary

During the past year, the Girls' Work Secretary, Miss Violet Tennant, has kept in touch with all organized girls' groups through her field letters and other correspondence. This year, the number of registered groups is 485, which fact indicates the keen desire of the girls within the church to organize for mid-week study, worship and activity.

During the past year, there were two main objectives placed before the girls' constituency. The first was that of relating the mid-week work more to the life of the local church, and the second being the suggestion that the girls' groups contribute a definite sum to the support of two western deaconesses. Both these objectives were met adequately.

During the summer, the Secretary was director at Kintail Girls' Camp, and assisted at two leadership camps in Ontario. In October, she visited all girls' groups in the Synod of Manitoba. Later, a trip was made to the Maritimes and again, she contacted every girls' group and leader. Meetings included conferences, not only with the girls, but with Mission Bands and Young People's Societies and Sabbath School teachers. Help was given in solving local problems, in programme building and in giving encouragement to the many fine leaders engaged in leading our youth groups in the church. Since the new year, field work has been done in the Presbyteries of Maitland, London, Chatham, Hamilton, Lanark and Renfrew, and Paris. While in Toronto the Secretary gives leadership to the Toronto Presbyterian Leaders' Association, and is chairman of the Promotion Committee of the National Girls' Work Board.

Looking to the future, and mindful of the great need for more leaders for the young folk of the church, it is the hope of the Secretary that many will avail themselves of courses offered in Leadership Training. If every local church would undertake a course in Leadership Training this next year it would not be long before we would report new youth groups in those churches where, for some time, they have been unorganized due either to lack of leadership or insufficient conviction as to the need.

Synods' Conveners

Seven Synods' Conveners were at the annual Board meeting. Rev. J. C. McLean-Bell sent a written report for British Columbia. Their reports were interesting and informative. Some deplored a falling off in enrolment, while others saw evidences of a turn in the other direction. The shifting population in the prairie provinces, on account of continued drought over a very large section, has made the work difficult. The depletion of population in the south has made it almost impossible to maintain regular church services, and the new settlements in north Saskatchewan and the Peace River District are financially unable to help themselves. Grants of free literature have kept many of these schools open. There is great need of missionaries at large to follow the settlers to their new homes. Tribute was paid to the men on the field, and to the deaconesses supplied by the Women's Missionary Society, for their heroic services. These deaconesses give special attention to the children in the public schools. From all parts came the demand for a Boys' Work Secretary. As a rule the 'teen-age girls are well cared for, but too often the 'teen-age boys are neglected through lack of leadership. It was the general feeling of your Board that the Church cannot longer afford to turn a deaf ear to this demand.

Reports

The General Secretary would again call the attention of all ministers and elders to the necessity of sending in full and accurate reports. The value of the report to the General Assembly depends upon getting a carefully prepared report from every School and Society. Your Board would commend this to the serious attention of every Presbytery in the Church.

Ten-One-Three Plan

The "Ten-One-Three Plan" has been a decided success wherever it has been seriously tried. It was launched at the beginning of 1937 and met with unanimous approval. It called attention to the leading activities that should be found in every Sabbath School, and set forth certain ideals at which every Sabbath School staff should aim. It is gratifying to know that in a number of schools a new standard of efficiency has been reached, teachers have attended more regularly, and there has been an increase in the enrolment and average attendance of pupils. A number of branch schools have been organized.

Your Board strongly urges every minister and elder to re-examine the chart hanging in their school-room, and see how many seals are attached to it. The Plan has yet two years to run. We therefore urge every Session to give the necessary assistance so that, before the end of three years, every Objective and Project will be marked by the appropriate seal. The success of the Plan depends on the united, enthusiastic effort of all those who are interested in the Church of the present and of the future.

The General Secretary will be pleased to give information *re* the different projects and methods or organization. Where branch schools are unable to purchase Lesson Helps and Papers, the Board will send supplies free of charge, for the first three months.

Home Department

In response to a revival of interest in the Home Department your Board issued a printed pamphlet setting forth the purpose of the Department, and telling how to carry it on. It is hoped that this pamphlet will be seriously studied by every Session and Sabbath School staff. Here is a quotation from it,—"The Home Department

is not intended to take the place of the main school. It is for those who for various reasons cannot be present at the school session and yet wish to have a part in the work and in the study of the lesson. Mothers whose duties keep them at home, fathers who find it impossible to attend the school, the aged and infirm, and all who are shut in, are the natural members of this department.

"In rural sections, when distance, bad roads and lack of conveyance prevent some from attending the school, this department is especially valuable. In cold regions where regular meetings cannot be continued throughout the year, it keeps the school alive. In all such homes every member of the family should be enrolled."

Sabbath School by Post

Very closely associated with the Home Department is the "Sabbath School by Post." The Home Department is part of a regularly organized Sabbath School and is conducted by local officers. The Sabbath School by Post is for isolated families that are out of reach of a Sabbath School, and is usually conducted by correspondence from the office of the General Secretary of The Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies.

Its purpose is to enable parents to teach the Sabbath School lesson to their children in the home. Ministers, student missionaries, deaconesses, and any others who are interested, are asked to send to the General Secretary the names and addresses of parents who will undertake to teach their children, and suitable Lesson Helps will be mailed direct to those homes.

In one province a Young People's Society in a city congregation has undertaken this work and a considerable area has been canvassed. Lesson material is sent from Presbyterian Publications, in bulk, to that Society and is remailed to the individual homes. This work is very heartily commended and it is hoped that many other Young People's Societies will follow this worthy example.

This department of our work is capable of almost unlimited development as there must be many hundreds of homes, in the out-lying parts of Canada, in which parents would appreciate such help for the Christian education of their children.

Theological Colleges

Your Board is taking an ever increasing interest in the training of students for the ministry, and welcomes the co-operation of the Theological Colleges. Through the kindness and generosity of Presbyterian Publications a scholarship is provided to each of the colleges, to be awarded in the department of Pastoral Theology, provided a series of lectures on Religious Education be included in the course. During the past session Dr. A. M. Hill gave a course of lectures in The Presbyterian College, Montreal. These were supplemented by a short course by the General Secretary who also lectured in Knox College, Toronto. We trust that at no distant date the department of Religious Education will have a full time professor who will divide his time between the two colleges.

Normal Schools

Recognizing the fact that in city, town and country the public school teacher is an outstanding leader in the community life, your Board has given special attention to the training of these young people for their life work. Many of our Sabbath Schools are deeply indebted to the consecrated work of the day school teacher. In the province of Ontario special courses in Bible knowledge are given in each of its seven Normal Schools. We are deeply indebted to the Department of Education in the Ontario Legislature for setting apart one period, in school hours, each week, for representatives of the different communions to meet the students, and deliver a course of lectures. It is sincerely hoped that a similar privilege will be granted to the Church in each of the other provinces. We are also deeply indebted to the local ministers in Toronto, Peterborough, Ottawa, Hamilton, London, Stratford, and North Bay who gave of their time so freely to render this splendid service.

Week-Day Religious Education

One year ago we stated that a syllabus was in course of preparation to assist teachers and ministers who are giving religious instruction in the public schools. That syllabus has been printed and is available for all who wish to make use of it.

In each of the nine provinces in the Dominion, provision is made for the local clergyman to give Bible instruction in the public school to members of their own communion, but in very few places is this privilege taken advantage of. In about two hundred schools in the province of Ontario this work is carried on.

Most of the provincial departments of education, and local school boards, are very sympathetic, and your Board urges every minister to seize the opportunity of bringing to all the children in the community the message of the Bible.

The lack of a syllabus, or curriculum, has been given by some as a reason for not undertaking this work. The General Secretary will be pleased to send a syllabus to any who are interested, and to give information regarding the organization of such classes.

Publications

Your Board placed on record its deep appreciation of the service being rendered by Dr. N. A. MacEachern and his efficient staff. The dream of a few years ago that some day we would have our own Sunday School Lesson Helps, written and printed by Presbyterians in Canada—has been realized. These are highly spoken of, as are also the Illustrated Papers. A number of our schools use the Departmental Graded Lessons. This is particularly true of the Beginners and Primary Departments. These and all other supplies for Sunday School, Young People's Society, and Church may be procured from Presbyterian Publications. If your church has not already received a catalogue, write for one.

Bible Study Tests

Each year, in the month of April, Bible Study Tests are issued by the Board. These Tests cover the previous six months' Uniform Lessons. Comparatively few schools avail themselves of this opportunity to check the knowledge gained by the pupils, and the efficiency of the teaching, but those schools that have tried them once, look forward to them from year to year. We very heartily commend these Tests to the serious consideration of superintendents and teachers.

Memory Work

During the year 3,313 awards for memory work were sent out from the office of the General Secretary. Of this number 165 were for repeating the Shorter Catechism. Too great emphasis cannot be placed on this all-important work. What is learned in youth is a permanent asset for life.

Special Programmes

As in former years, special programmes were issued for Mother's Day and Rally Day. Though an epidemic of infantile paralysis in several parts of Canada interfered very seriously with Rally Day services we were pleased to note that this service was, in most places, held at a later date as evidenced by the offering. The offerings amounted to $5,597.77, as compared with $5,673.18 for the previous year. The purpose of these services is not chiefly to raise money, but rather to interest boys and girls in the missionary work of the church. The Mother's Day offering is devoted to overseas missions, and the Rally Day offering to the work of our Church in Canada.

Missions

Besides the offerings on Rally Day and Mother's Day, your Board advocates the giving of the offering on at least one Sunday each month to the Missionary Budget of the Church. Most of our schools have adopted this plan, and the Church treasurer received $18,265.00. The ideal plan is to use the duplex envelopes and thus give weekly to missions. This is a splendid training for after life and the Sunday School is a place of training as well as instruction. The educational value of adopting

some definite method of giving to the Missionary Budget of the Church should not be lost sight of.

Sabbath School Missionary

The services of Miss Ruby Blyth, as Sabbath School Missionary in the Synod of British Columbia, have been continued. Through her efforts at least one Church has been kept open. Two districts were carefully surveyed, and, in one of these, two schools were very greatly increased in enrolment. At present she is in the Presbytery of Victoria where her assistance has been urgently sought.

Besides her regular work of visiting homes and stimulating the work in new and run-down schools, she carries on a Sabbath School by Post which includes more than fifty families in different parts of British Columbia.

Temperance Education

Besides the quarterly temperance lesson which is a vital part of the Uniform Lesson schedule, five consecutive temperance lessons were published, in story form, in *Young Canada* and *The Challenge*. Each story concluded with two questions which the pupils were asked to answer in writing. In schools where superintendents and teachers are interested in this great moral issue, many pupils did as requested. To these, 410 card certificates were sent.

The teaching of Christianity, and its application to life and conduct, is our greatest bulwark against all forms of evil. Let us therefore be diligent in instructing and training the future citizens of our country, so that they will give a good account of themselves when they face this insidious enemy.

Daily Vacation Bible Schools

The Daily Vacation Bible School has passed beyond the experimental stage, and its worth is universally recognized. For two or more weeks in July and August, when many boys and girls do not know how to occupy their time, the Vacation Bible School is welcomed by parent and children alike. The programme includes worship, Bible instruction, singing, memorization of Scripture and Catechism, handwork and supervised play. It is true that more Bible knowledge is imparted, and memory work done, during those few weeks of daily instruction, than during several months of ordinary Sunday School effort.

This department of work is highly commended by your Board. Write to the General Secretary for further information.

The Communicants' Class

The great objective of the Sabbath School is to bring its members into close communion with God and to train them for Christian service. Many schools report additions to the communion roll from its ranks, but far too many have no such results to report.

Has this matter been presented to your Sabbath School staff, and has it been seriously discussed?

Have you had a communicants' class during the past year?

Your Board submits these questions for the consideration of every session.

Adult Education

In political, social, as well as in religious matters, a new emphasis is being placed on Adult Education. The home is the most powerful institution in the world, and in order to develop its best life and to foster its interest in the Church, the Adult Bible Class and the Home Department should be given very special attention. A revival of home religion would usher in a new day for church and state. The General Secretary will be glad to answer questions and suggest helpful books for parents and leaders in this work.

Young People's Society

In most of our congregations there is a Young People's Society, the ultimate objective of which is to lead young people,—

1. To accept Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour.
2. To grow in effective Christian living.
3. To lead others to know and follow Him.
4. To develop Christian fellowship among young people in their relationship to each other and to the community.

Your Board feels that no church organization is complete if this objective is not provided for.

A Handbook for Presbyterian Young People was issued in September, in the compilation of which the young people had a very large part. It emphasized particularly *worship, fellowship* and *service* as the most important elements in the programme.

In almost every Presbytery there is a Presbyterial Society, and in the province of Ontario there is a very active Provincial organization.

Presbyterial rallies, inter-society visitation, debates and oratorical contests are fostered. In Ontario a week-end, province-wide convention was held at which there were more than one thousand delegates.

An effort was made to raise a definite amount for the support of missionary work in the Peace River District, and though the objective was not realized, the result was a very great increase over the amount formerly raised. The indirect benefit—missionary education—will have a more permanent effect.

Your Board is very much encouraged as it hears of the many activities of the young people and is convinced that this augurs well for the future of our Church. It strongly urges every Society to undertake some definite practical work in the local congregation and in the larger missionary task of the church.

Summer Schools and Camps

The Summer School and Training Camp has become an integral part of our yearly programme, and we are pleased to note the growth in this department, particularly in the Synod of Manitoba. We have now several splendidly equipped camp grounds,—thanks to the generosity of several friends of youth. Hundreds of 'teen-age boys and girls receive special training. Young people and Sabbath School workers engage in Bible study and discuss new plans and methods. The value of a week or ten days spent thus, cannot be over-estimated. Write to your Synod's Convener for dates, and plan to send one or more delegates to your nearest school or camp.

Statistics

In some respects our statistical report is very disappointing. There is a decrease in the number of schools, the number of teachers and officers, and in the total enrolment. The reason for this is difficult to understand. Your Board urges every session to study the local conditions. In some sections the public school enrolment has gone down, but we are satisfied that this does not account for the falling off in the number attending Sunday School. This is a challenge to every person who is interested in the future of the Church.

But there are some hopeful features. The Synods of Manitoba and British Columbia show an increase in enrolment. There is an increase of more than 200 in the number coming into full communion from the Sunday School, and the amount of money contributed also shows an increase.

Finances

The Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies contributed to missions $21,763.00, and the amount allocated to this Board, with which to carry on its work is $9,000.00. Your Board is of the opinion that the employment of a Boys' Work

Secretary would be money well spent. At present that is our greatest need and we have the assurance of the Board of Administration that this will be met as soon as the givings of our people justifies the expenditure. It may be that such an appointment would help turn the tide.

The Presbyterian Record

The Presbyterian Record renders a very helpful service in publishing an outline of the Sunday School lessons, for which the Board is very grateful. The section "Children and Youth" should be read in every home.

An Appreciation

We would not conclude this report without placing on record our deep appreciation of the faithful work that is being done by the teachers and officers of our Sabbath Schools. The Board may form plans and offer helpful suggestions, but the results depend upon the fidelity of the workers in the local church. To this noble band we acknowledge an indebtedness which we cannot meet.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the General Assembly places on record its sincere appreciation of the faithful services rendered by Sabbath School teachers and officers who give so freely of their time and talents.

2. That, with a view to greater uniformity, the General Assembly instruct ministers to personally supervise the making out of the annual report of the S.S. and Y.P.S.

3. That the Lesson Helps, Illustrated Papers and other Sabbath School supplies provided by the Board through its Editorial Committee, and printed and distributed by Presbyterian Publications, be used by all of our schools.

4. That every Sabbath School be urged to make a special effort to realize the OBJECTIVES of the "Ten-One-Three Plan."

5. That a Communicants' Class be conducted in every congregation at least once during the year.

6. That instruction in the missions of our church be given in every Sabbath School and Young People's Society, and a monthly, or weekly, offering be taken for the Budget.

7. That the Board of Missions be asked to encourage the Sabbath Schools in all aid receiving congregations, to use our own Lesson Helps and Illustrated Papers.

8. Whereas the Budget and Stewardship Committee, having agreed to the appointment of a Boys' Work Secretary when the money was available—that a Father and Son Week (2nd week in February) be observed in all Sabbath Schools, and that the Sunday following a special offering be taken to be used for the support of a Boys' Work Secretary who shall be appointed forthwith.

9. That Week-Day Religious Education in the public schools be commended, and that the syllabus prepared as a guide for that work be used by ministers and teachers.

10. That the thanks of the General Assembly be tendered to those ministers who conducted classes in Religious Knowledge in the Normal Schools.

11. That we place on record our appreciation of the service rendered to our Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies by the Editor of Presbyterian Publications, Rev. N. A. MacEachern, D.D., and commend Presbyterian Publications to the loyal support of every congregation.

H. M. COULTER,
Convener.

W. M. KANNAWIN,
General Secretary.

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS

Sabbath Schools	*1936*	*1937*
Number of Sabbath Schools	1,159	1,138
Number of Teachers and Officers	11,249	9,970
Number on Cradle Roll	12,022	11,971
Number in Home Department	1,506	1,515
Total Enrolment	113,966	109,416
Number Coming into Full Communion	2,461	2,677
Number using Presbyterian Publications	1,052	1,048
Number of Schools Studying Catechism	720	759
Number of Schools Studying Temperance	731	729
Number of Schools Studying Missions	619	629
Number of Schools Studying Scripture Memory Work	742	761
Number of Awards for Memory Work	3,060	3,102
Midweek Organizations for Junior and 'teen-age boys and girls	1,122	1,114
Amount given to Mother's Day Fund	$2,836	$3,032
Amount given to Rally Day Fund	$3,111	$3,225
Amount given to Missions	$17,822	$18,265
Amount raised for Local Purposes	$82,028	$83,210
Young People's Societies		
Number of Young People's Societies	670	653
Total Enrolment	19,881	18,567
Amount raised for Local Expenses	$25,473	$25,224
Amount given to Missions	$2,587	$3,498

SUMMARY OF PRESBYTERY REPORTS OF SABBATH SCHOOLS AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES FOR 1937

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

NAME OF PRESBYTERY	SABBATH SCHOOLS													YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES			
	No. of Sabbath Schools	No. of Teachers and Officers	No. on Cradle Roll	No. in Home Department	Total Enrolment	No. coming into Full Communion	No. using Presbyterian Publications	No. of Awards Received	Week-day Organizations Juniors and Teen-age	Mother's Day Offering	Rally Day Offering	Amount Given to Missions	Amount Spent for Local Purposes	No. of Organizations	No. on Roll	Amount Spent for Local Purposes	Amount Given to Missions
										$	$	$	$			$	$
Cape Breton and Newfoundland	43	231	203	105	2280	55	40	243	25	56	69	174	1422	27	715	765	81
Pictou	52	306	251	12	2863	77	45	213	32	82	98	261	1107	32	907	662	121
Halifax and Lunenburg	19	148	141	30	1451	35	19	26	14	40	68	127	946	11	323	486	108
*Saint John	23	136	87	88	1247	17	22	6	17	25	49	193	964	10	237	241	....
Miramichi	22	96	88	20	800	11	17	33	6	17	21	85	376	10	193	701	62
Prince Edward Island	50	248	88	....	2265	38	45	201	11	50	101	154	896	26	945	958	109
Total	209	1165	858	255	10906	233	188	722	105	270	406	994	5711	116	3320	3813	481

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

Quebec	13	74	66	23	730	28	11	14	7	22	42	92	624	4	86	408	....
Montreal	42	680	1049	124	7146	216	40	171	62	120	167	1387	7210	27	790	2184	66
Glengarry	20	140	233	15	1336	43	18	64	4	52	87	193	619	12	349	640	110
Ottawa	19	239	381	111	2364	36	17	125	15	190	164	873	2473	15	503	1199	92
Lanark and Renfrew	18	144	201	....	1508	65	18	91	22	52	52	161	1062	12	323	553	50
Brockville	23	162	167	19	1326	60	22	19	14	37	65	160	928	8	271	362	44
Total	135	439	2097	292	14410	448	126	484	124	473	577	2866	12916	78	2322	5346	362

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Kingston	18	178	388	34	1802	60	18	24	16	44	46	205	992	15	320	368	40
Peterborough	25	255	315	....	2360	72	23	50	23	79	81	277	2162	16	407	796	73
Lindsay	21	164	137	1	1432	27	20	64	10	70	60	300	1473	12	343	747	118
Toronto	85	1869	1665	117	19623	238	80	327	161	313	301	4089	13464	67	2452	2325	469
Orangeville	19	109	134	15	1100	30	18	31	6	49	40	116	835	10	312	228	13
Barrie	51	425	446	8	3925	83	46	172	41	192	165	730	2737	26	779	698	198
North Bay and Temiskaming	17	113	133	25	1179	14	13	44	19	23	33	96	584	6	183	109	5
Algoma	9	84	179	....	940	7	9	10	13	19	23	102	533	2	70	30	....
Saugeen	15	107	122	....	1062	18	14	29	8	30	29	92	523	12	361	242	40
Guelph	25	407	397	22	3938	163	25	188	38	124	138	941	4038	18	576	699	113
Total	285	3711	3916	222	37361	712	266	939	335	943	916	6948	27341	184	5803	6242	1069

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

Hamilton	55	757	687	217	8248	198	49	27	99	159	169	1305	6409	43	1162	1844	410
Paris	15	213	258	10	2249	79	15	9	21	67	59	330	2305	13	364	635	125
London	38	388	327	18	2314	129	37	28	32	89	106	454	2499	22	496	750	85
Chatham	20	253	381	....	2909	108	19	12	24	75	76	414	2329	17	451	1100	90
Sarnia	26	268	265	3	2170	83	26	123	15	79	73	620	2684	18	462	612	84
Stratford	18	225	354	64	2363	123	17	64	21	73	71	570	1737	17	497	1015	151
Huron	11	99	85	10	806	51	10	10	12	19	49	163	623	3	53	65	12
Maitland	20	175	229	....	1639	45	20	34	9	82	106	357	1211	14	394	299	238
Bruce	22	180	415	32	1957	21	22	49	17	81	64	316	1424	13	351	423	166
Total	225	2558	3001	354	24655	837	215	356	250	724	773	4529	21221	160	4230	6743	1361

SYNOD OF MANITOBA

NAME OF PRESBYTERY	SABBATH SCHOOLS													YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES			
	No. of Sabbath Schools	No. of Teachers and Officers	No. on Cradle Roll	No. in Home Department	Total Enrolment	No. coming into Full Communion	No. using Presbyterian Publications	No. of Awards Received	Week-day Organizations Juniors and Teen-age	Mother's Day Offering	Rally Day Offering	Amount Given to Missions	Amount Spent for Local Purposes	No. of Organizations	No. on Roll	Amount Spent for Local Purposes	Amount Given to Missions
										$	$	$	$			$	$
Superior	16	186	284	2	2078	40	14	92	17	48	38	256	1278	3	88	223	....
Winnipeg	18	184	179	20	1923	34	18	46	33	38	37	212	1671	9	227	238	8
Brandon	23	159	204	27	1814	39	20	99	27	51	42	145	942	11	367	92	8
Total	57	529	667	49	5815	113	52	237	77	137	117	613	3891	23	682	553	16
SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN																	
Regina	16	146	74	3	1477	44	15	58	13	14	21	169	597	9	251	237	....
Moose Jaw	13	85	54	9	790	10	11	....	10	42	33	164	826	7	140	143	17
Prince Albert	24	104	227	130	1379	28	18	30	9	33	24	114	368	5	149	163	....
Saskatoon	18	130	93	....	1291	17	18	....	13	28	29	116	962	5	114	40	3
Total	71	465	448	142	4937	99	62	88	45	117	107	563	2753	26	654	583	20
SYNOD OF ALBERTA																	
Peace River	19	54	40	....	493	6	16	49	13	7	5	39	146	5	94	8	....
Edmonton	26	188	100	4	1724	40	24	32	13	17	13	138	926	15	355	414	....
Red Deer	22	106	117	....	1097	9	16	12	18	42	25	86	625	7	198	79	....
*Calgary	12	151	157	....	1573	60	12	56	22	68	64	490	1458	7	184	490	58
Macleod	8	59	30	....	571	4	8	3	15	18	5	33	352	4	119	9	4
Total	87	558	444	4	5458	119	76	154	81	152	112	786	3507	38	950	1000	62
SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA																	
Kootenay	13	73	99	....	927	13	12	31	21	42	38	113	981	3	50	124	10
Westminster	45	374	346	196	4107	97	41	56	66	142	135	620	3859	21	487	751	107
Victoria	11	98	95	1	840	6	10	35	10	32	44	233	1030	4	69	69	10
Total	69	545	540	197	5874	116	63	122	97	216	217	966	5870	28	606	944	127

SUMMARY

SYNODS																	
Maritime Provinces	209	1165	858	255	10906	233	188	722	105	270	406	994	5711	116	3320	3813	481
Montreal and Ottawa	135	439	2097	292	14410	448	126	484	124	473	577	2866	12916	78	2322	5346	362
Toronto and Kingston	285	3711	3916	222	37361	712	266	939	335	943	916	6948	27341	184	5803	6242	1069
Hamilton and London	225	2558	3001	354	24655	837	215	356	250	724	773	4529	21221	160	4230	6743	1361
Manitoba	57	529	667	49	5815	113	52	237	77	137	117	613	3891	23	682	553	16
Saskatchewan	71	465	448	142	4937	99	62	88	45	117	107	563	2753	26	654	583	20
Alberta	87	558	444	4	5458	119	76	154	81	152	112	786	3507	38	950	1000	62
British Columbia	69	545	540	197	5874	116	63	122	97	216	217	966	5870	28	606	944	127
Total	1138	9970	11971	1515	109416	2677	1048	3102	1114	3032	3225	18265	83210	653	18567	25224	3498

*Unreported for 1937.

ASSEMBLY'S COMMITTEE ON SUSTENTATION

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Your Committee, as instructed by the Assembly, prepared and sent down to the Presbyteries an outline of the Sustentation Plan for the maintenance of the ministry.

The Presbyteries were instructed by the Assembly to discuss this plan and report to the Assembly.

Your Committee met on Monday, April 18th, to receive and consider these replies. Only 13 of the 46 Presbyteries had reported (up to the date) as follows: One said, "Time is not ripe". Two said, "Will report later". Two said, "Want more information". Three said, "Opposed to the plan". Five said, "In favour of the plan". In passing, your Committee would respectfully draw the attention of the Assembly to the delinquency on the part of so many Presbyteries to the instructions of the Assembly.

After studying the reports sent in by Clerks of Presbyteries your Committee would recommend as follows:

1. That the Assembly re-affirm its general approval of the principle of the Sustentation Plan for the maintenance of the ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.
2. That the Committee be continued and instructed to furnish further details as to how the Sustentation Plan is operated, *e.g.*—
   (*a*) How the plan is financed.
   (*b*) What the different classes of congregations (aid-receiving, self-sustaining, and aid-giving, are expected to contribute to the fund).
   (*c*) Other details.
3. That these details and information be sent down to Presbyteries and congregations for further discussion.
4. That the Clerks of Synods, Presbyteries and Sessions, be instructed to send a copy of their report to the Convener of the Sustentation Fund Committee at the earliest possible date.

JOHN GIBSON INKSTER,
Convener.

OVERTURES

No. 1.—Synod of Saskatchewan.

Re COLLEGES

At Saskatoon, and within St. Andrew's Church there, on Thursday, the fourth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven, at ten o'clock in the morning, which time and place the Synod of Saskatchewan of The Presbyterian Church in Canada met pursuant to adjournment and was duly constituted with prayer, ex-Moderator H. R. Horne presiding in the absence of the Moderator, James Evans.

Inter alia.—The following overture was introduced, discussed, approved and ordered to be forwarded to the Venerable, the General Assembly, on the motion of Rev. W. G. Brown and Mr. Stuart Muirhead:

Whereas, the Christian ministry in our Church and in our country is faced with a unique opportunity to inspire the understanding and to quicken the conscience of the people, who constitute the Church, in the acknowledgment of Jesus Christ as Saviour and Lord and in the application of the principles of the New Testament to all relationships in life,

And Whereas, a church so aroused would be in a position to understand the crucial problems that face all men and women of this generation in all departments of life, especially the younger men and women of our country,

And Whereas, The Presbyterian Church has always recognized the necessity of genuineness and reality in the national, as well as the personal, testimony for the sovereignty of God in Jesus Christ,

And Whereas, in our opinion, this generation is facing the most radical changes in the whole structure of the social order, making it imperative for the people, who constitute the church in both pulpit and pew, to direct and to establish these changes on sound foundations,

And Whereas, the course of training for our students preparing to enter the ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada is along substantially the same lines as it has been for the last fifty years;

Therefore, the Synod of Saskatchewan respectfully overtures the Venerable the General Assembly at its approaching meeting in the City of Toronto to appoint a carefully selected committee to revise the curriculum of theological education in our colleges with a view to a more adequate training of our future ministers for the increasing difficulties and opportunities that they must face in their high calling; that such a committee having revised the curriculum shall recommend to the General Assembly the number and type of men needed to give the necessary training in the curriculum and call upon the General Assembly through the Presbyteries to secure such men to the end that the future ministers of The Presbyterian Church in Canada may be the best equipped men that our Church has ever trained and that through them the Truth as it is in Jesus Christ may dominate the lives of the people within the Church, that the Church may make its proper contribution to the National Life and to the Kingdom of God among men.

It was further agreed that the commissioners from the Presbyteries of Saskatoon and Prince Albert should support the overture in the Supreme Court of the Church.

Extracted from the records of the Synod of Saskatchewan this 20th day of January, 1938, by

THOMAS MURPHY,
Clerk of Synod.

North Battleford, Sask.

No. 2.—Presbytery of Westminster.

Re REPRESENTATIVES AND MINISTERS OF CHURCH OF SCOTLAND VISITING CANADA

At Vancouver, and within Mount Pleasant Church there, on Tuesday, the seventh day of September, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven, and at two o'clock in the afternoon, which place and time the Presbytery of Westminster met in regular session and was constituted with prayer.

Inter alia.—Rev. Harry Lennox submitted the following overture relative to Representatives and Officials of The Church of Scotland visiting Canada, which overture was seconded by Mr. Creelman and approved by the Court.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Whereas, for some time representatives and officials of The Church of Scotland when visiting Canada or passing through Canada en route to other lands, sometimes as delegates to other Presbyterian Churches, have been supplying the outstanding pulpits of the United Church of Canada, and not The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and

Whereas, the impression is thereby created, both among those who attend the services, and often by reports in the daily press that The Presbyterian Church in Canada exists within the United Church of Canada, and

Whereas, The Presbyterian Church in Canada should be the logical host of these brethren when they visit our Dominion,

Therefore, the Presbytery of Westminster humbly and respectfully overtures the Venerable the General Assembly to instruct the Committee on Correspondence with other Churches in their contacts with the Colonial Committees of the Presbyterian Church in Scotland, England, Ireland, and Wales, and with any other Presbyterian body, to seek information regarding the departures of their representatives to Canada, and when possible arrange itineraries, that they might speak to their rightful brethren and that a false impression of the status of The Presbyterian Church in Canada may not be created.

Extracted from the Minutes of the Presbytery of Westminster.

J. C. McLEAN-BELL,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 3.—Presbytery of Ottawa.

Re STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

At Ottawa, and within Knox Church there, on Tuesday the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, the Presbytery of Ottawa of The Presbyterian Church in Canada met in regular session at ten o'clock forenoon and was constituted with prayer.

Sederunt:—Rev. Robert Good, B.Litt., *Moderator*, Rev. Hugh Cameron, D.D., *Clerk, et al.*

Inter alia.—On motion of Rev. Wm. Patterson, seconded by Rev. Herbert F. Dann, it was unanimously resolved to overture the General Assembly as follows:—

WHEREAS, there are at present an unusual number of vacancies in our Church,

AND WHEREAS, the number of ministers without charge is wholly inadequate to meet the need,

AND WHEREAS, the number of students graduating annually from our Colleges is not sufficient to replace those who are retiring or removed by death,

THEREFORE the Presbytery of Ottawa humbly overtures the Venerable the General Assembly meeting in Toronto on the first Wednesday in June, 1938, to take such steps as in its judgment appear to be wise to recruit young men for the ministry, and where necessary to provide financial assistance to all deserving applicants during the first two or three years of study, and that Commissioners from this Presbytery support this overture on the floor of the Assembly.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Ottawa by

HUGH CAMERON,
Presbytery Clerk.

Ottawa, March 3rd, 1938.

No. 4.—PRESBYTERY OF SAUGEEN.

TO PLACE THE NAME OF REV. ROBERT HONEYMAN ON THE CONSTITUENT ROLL OF PRESBYTERY

At Arthur, and within St. Andrew's Church there, on Tuesday, the 8th day of March, in the year of our Lord, 1938, at the hour of 10 a.m. the Presbytery of Saugeen met in regular session, and was constituted by prayer by the Clerk, the Rev. Robert Honeyman.

Inter alia.—It was moved, and duly seconded and carried unanimously that the Presbytery of Saugeen, Province of Ontario, overture the Venerable the General Assembly indicted to meet in Toronto, and within Calvin Church there, on the first Wednesday of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

THAT WHEREAS, the Rev. Robert Honeyman, came to retirement from the regular work of the ministry, on the 22nd day of September, 1938; that

WHEREAS, Mr. Honeyman, having been a most devout and faithful minister of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, all his ministry; that

WHEREAS, he has likewise been, for a number of years the most earnest, loyal and dutiful pastor of the Churches of Amos, Dromore, and Knox, Normanby, within the bounds of the Presbytery of Saugeen, and greatly beloved by these congregations; that

WHEREAS, he has rendered excellent and faithful service to the Presbytery, and is held in affectionate esteem by his brethren in the Church; that

WHEREAS, Mr. Honeyman, is the Clerk of Presbytery, and resident within its bounds, and that he may the more fully take care of the duties of his office, in the way and manner that such office requires; that

WHEREAS, Saugeen Presbytery is a Presbytery, characterized by short pastorates, and Mr. Honeyman's being one of the longest within recent years, namely, eight years, and his knowledge and experience of the Presbytery would make his wise counsel and advice of inestimable value to the conduct of its affairs;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Presbytery of Saugeen do by these presents, most respectfully overture the Venerable the General Assembly, to place the name of the Rev. Robert Honeyman, on the Constituent Roll of the Presbytery.

ROBERT HONEYMAN,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 5.—PRESBYTERY OF PARIS.

Re FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE CHURCH

At Woodstock, the first day of March in the year 1938, which day the Presbytery of Paris met and was constituted with prayer.

Inter alia.—The Presbytery agreed to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly:—

To the Venerable the General Assembly.

THAT this Presbytery take notice of the alarm over the general financial position of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and harm done to the morale of members of the Church by the increasing deficit expressed to Presbytery by the congregation of Knox Church, Woodstock, through their session, that we endorse the desire of the said congregation to have the Venerable the General Assembly take definite and practical steps to end the growth of the deficit, and to overture the Venerable the General Assembly to instruct the Board of Administration to reduce all expenses to meet the decline in revenue.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Paris.

E. G. THOMPSON,
Presbytery Clerk.

Woodstock, 12th March, 1938.

No. 6.—PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER.

Re THREE YEAR RULE FOR BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

At Vancouver, and within West Point Grey Church there, on Tuesday, March first, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight and at two o'clock in the afternoon, which place and time the Presbytery of Westminster met and was constituted with prayer by the Rev. W. A. Cameron, D.D., Moderator.

Inter alia.—It was moved by Rev. R. C. Creelman, seconded by Rev. J. A. Munro, that

WHEREAS, at the General Assembly held in Ottawa from June second to June ninth, nineteen hundred and thirty-seven, it was agreed, "That the whole matter and application of the Three Year Rule be referred to the Board of Administration in conference with the Board concerned to draft a report to next Assembly" and (Assembly Minutes 1937, page 52).

WHEREAS, the Three Year Rule applies to all other Boards,

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Westminster humbly and respectfully overtures the Venerable the General Assembly that no change be made in the Three Year Rule with regard to the Board of Management of Knox College.

After consideration it was agreed to approve the overture and transmit same to the General Assembly.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Westminster this 10th day of March, 1938.

J. C. McLEAN-BELL,
Presbytery Clerk.

North Vancouver, B.C.

No. 7.—PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER.

Re BUDGET MONIES

At Vancouver, and within West Point Grey Church there, on Tuesday, March first, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, and at two o'clock in the afternoon, which place and time the Presbytery of Westminster met and was constituted with prayer by the Rev. W. A. Cameron, D.D., Moderator.

Inter alia.—It was moved by Rev. Harry Lennox, seconded by Rev. R. C. Creelman, that

WHEREAS, the financial year of The Presbyterian Church in Canada ends January thirty-first of each year, and,

WHEREAS, it has been the practice in recent years to keep the books open from four to eight weeks beyond January thirty-first, and,

WHEREAS, it is our opinion that this extension of time has encouraged congregations and congregational Budget Treasurers to become dilatory in the raising and forwarding of Budget monies thereby adversely affecting the amount contributed.

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Westminster humbly and respectfully overtures the Venerable the General Assembly to order that all Budget monies received from congregations by the Church Treasurer after January thirty-first in each year be credited to the current year.

After due consideration it was agreed to approve the overture and transmit the same to the General Assembly.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Westminster this 10th day of March, 1938.

J. C. McLEAN-BELL,
Presbytery Clerk.

North Vancouver, B.C.

No. 8.—PRESBYTERY OF SAINT JOHN.

TO PLACE THE NAME OF REV. FRANK BAIRD, M.A., D.D., ON THE CONSTITUENT ROLL OF PRESBYTERY

At Saint John, and within the Church of Saint John and Saint Stephen there, on Tuesday, the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at nine-thirty in the forenoon, the Presbytery of Saint John met and was constituted.

Inter alia.—It was moved, duly seconded and became the unanimous judgment of the Presbytery that we overture the Venerable the General Assembly indicted to meet in Toronto and within Calvin Church there, on the first Wednesday in June next for permission to place on Constituent Roll of Presbytery the name of Rev. Frank Baird, M.A., D.D., a minister of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, for the following reasons.

THAT he is now resident within the bounds of this Presbytery.

THAT he has given a lifetime of faithful service to the Church, and has freely placed himself at the disposal of this Presbytery for much needed assistance in supplying vacant congregations.

THAT he is held in high esteem by his brethren throughout the Church for his scholarship, his pulpit ability, his loyalty to the principles of our Church, and his knowledge of Church law and procedure.

THAT his sound judgment and long experience would be of the greatest help to this small Presbytery in its work if he were a regular member of the court.

THEREFORE, we humbly overture the Venerable the General Assembly to grant the prayer of the Presbytery of Saint John to place the name of the Rev. Frank Baird, M.A., D.D., on its Constituent Roll.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Saint John.

SAMUEL DAVIES,
Presbytery Clerk.

Saint Andrews-by-the-Sea, N.B.,
March 16th, 1938.

No. 9.—PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON.

TO PLACE THE NAME OF REV. D. H. CURRIE ON THE CONSTITUENT ROLL

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, Rev. Donald H. Currie has resigned his pastorate within the bounds of the Presbytery of Hamilton and has made application to retire from the active duties of the ministry, having reached the age of retirement after thirty-five years of active service in the ministry of our Church;

WHEREAS, he continues to reside within the bounds of the Presbytery of Hamilton;

WHEREAS, because of his exceptional executive ability and loyalty to the Church during the struggle against Church Union in his own and neighbouring Presbyteries; and furthermore, his active interest in the work of the Presbytery of Hamilton where he has been a valued member for twelve years, giving unstintingly of his time and ability to further its work and that of the higher Courts and the Kingdom of God everywhere;

THEREFORE, we, the Presbytery of Hamilton, do respectfully overture the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada to grant permission to place the name of the said Rev. Donald H. Currie on our Constituent Roll.

It was moved by Mr. H. F. Burkholder, seconded by Mr. R. G. Stewart that the overture be received and adopted. Carried.

Extracted from the Minutes of the Presbytery of Hamilton of a meeting held in Hamilton on January 11, 1938, at which Rev. Stuart Woods was Moderator; Austin L. Budge, Clerk, and forty-four ministers and elders were present.

AUSTIN L. BUDGE,
Presbytery Clerk.

Hamilton, March 10, 1938.

No. 10.—PRESBYTERY OF REGINA.

TO GRANT PERMISSION TO ORDAIN A. A. DOWNEY

At Regina, Saskatchewan, and within The First Presbyterian Church there, on Thursday, the fourth day of February, nineteen hundred and thirty-eight, which day the Presbytery of Regina met and was constituted with prayer.

Mr. John MacKenzie presented the following overture:—

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, there is in the Presbytery of Regina an extensive Mission Field—Arlington Beach—which stands in urgent need of an ordained minister, and

WHEREAS, Mr. A. A. Downey, a Catechist, organized this field in 1926, and has since served the field with distinction, and

WHEREAS, under the able and efficient ministry of Mr. Downey a new church has been erected at Cyric and at Strasburg, a town of considerable importance, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Downey enjoys the respect and esteem of the people of this wide area because of his faithful ministry, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Downey suffers a severe handicap by his inability to render the services of an ordained minister, and

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Regina humbly overtures the Venerable the General Assembly for permission to ordain the said Mr. A. A. Downey for the work of the ministry within the bounds of the Presbytery of Regina, and that the Commissioners to the General Assembly be requested to support this overture.

On the motion of the Rev. H. R. Horne, seconded by Mr. John Shaw, this overture was received, considered, approved and ordered to be forwarded to the General Assembly with the request that the General Assembly answer the prayer of the overture.

Extracted from the Records of Presbytery of Regina by

JAMES EVANS,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 11.—PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY.

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO PLACE THE NAME OF THE REVEREND ROBERT SIMPSON ON THE CONSTITUENT ROLL OF THE PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY

In Lindsay and within St. Andrew's Church there, on Tuesday, March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, the Presbytery of Lindsay met in regular Session and was constituted by the Moderator.

Inter alia.—It was moved by Rev. P. T. Meek, seconded by Rev. J. C. Grier, and agreed to humbly overture the Venerable the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada indicted to meet in Toronto on the first day of June next to come for permission to place the name of the Reverend Robert Simpson on the Constituent Roll of the Presbytery in the following terms:—

WHEREAS, the Rev. Robert Simpson has given long and faithful service to the Church, West and East, and

WHEREAS, his wide and varied experience and his powers of administration in any ministerial capacity to which Presbytery may appoint him and much needed in a small Presbytery like ours, and

WHEREAS, his work in his present office is so highly regarded, and

WHEREAS, he purposes to continue his residence within the bounds,

We therefore humbly overture the Venerable the General Assembly for permission to place the name of the Rev. Robert Simpson on its Rolls for reasons stated above.

Extracted from the records of the Presbytery of Lindsay this second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

ROBERT SIMPSON,
Presbytery Clerk.

Brooklin, Ont.

No. 12.—PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER.

Re APPOINTMENT TO CHAIR OF SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY, KNOX COLLEGE

At Vancouver, and within Central Church there, on Tuesday, the twelfth day of April, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight (which place and time) the Presbytery of Westminster met and was constituted with prayer.

Inter alia.—On motion of Mr. Creelman seconded by Mr. Lennox, the Presbytery of Westminster agreed to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, for some years the demands on the staff at Knox College have been too great to meet the requirements of the curriculum, and

WHEREAS, we deem it false economy to jeopardize the efficiency of Knox College by imposing too much work on any one professor,

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Westminster respectfuly overtures the Venerable the General Assembly that immediate action be taken and that a full time professor be appointed to the chair of Systematic Theology.

Extracted from the records of the Presbytery of Westminster by

J. C. McLEAN-BELL,
Presbytery Clerk.

North Vancouver, April 24, 1938.

No. 13.—SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON.

Re THE BUDGET

At Wingham, and within St. Andrew's Church there, April 27, 1938, at 2 p.m., which time and place the Synod of Hamilton and London being in Regular Session: Moderator, Mr. C. H. MacDonald; Clerk, Mr. A. L. Budge.

Inter alia.—Mr. E. G. McCullagh reported that the Board of Missions' Committee had considered the overture from the Presbytery of Huron, which is as follows:

"To the Venerable the General Assembly:—

WHEREAS the Missionary Budget of $450,000 for 1937 had not been reached, and

WHEREAS the Budget for 1938 has been increased to $500,000, notwithstanding a considerable deficit, and

WHEREAS the increase of 23 per cent has been a discouragement upon our congregations, struggling to reach the former allocation, and

WHEREAS a Budget fully raised would be an inspiration to the whole Church,

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Huron humbly overtures the General Assembly that the present Budget of $500,000 be not increased until it is fully realized by our people's givings, or a reasonable prospect of reaching that objective is seen.

It was agreed that the overture be approved and sent through the Synod to the General Assembly and that Mr. W. A. Young be requested to support the same before the Assembly."

Mr. McCullagh moved that the overture be transmitted *Simpliciter*. It was duly seconded and carried.

Extracted from the records of the Synod of Hamilton and London, this 29th day of April, 1938.

AUSTIN L. BUDGE,
Clerk of Synod.

Hamilton.

No. 14.—Synod of Hamilton and London.

Re STIPEND OF SELF-SUSTAINING CONGREGATIONS

At Wingham, and within St. Andrew's Church there, April 27, 1938, which time and place the Synod of Hamilton and London, being in regular session, Mr. C. H. MacDonald, Moderator, and Mr. A. L. Budge, Clerk, considered an overture from the Presbytery of Maitland, which is as follows:—

"To the Synod of Hamilton and London:

Whereas grants to Augmented Charges are made on the basis of a stipend of $1,600.00 per annum, and

Whereas many Charges are treated as being self-sustaining in the matter of the settlement of a minister, which Charges pay in stipend from $400.00 to $700.00 less than that paid in Augmented Charges,

Therefore be it resolved that the Presbytery of Maitland respectfully overture the Synod of Hamilton and London to overture the Venerable the General Assembly as follows:—

1. That no Pastoral Charge be treated as Self-Sustaining in the matter of the settlement of a minister which pays in stipend less than that upon which Augmentation Grants are made.
2. That the amount of aid each congregation receives be recorded in the Statistical Report, thereby reverting to the practice prior to 1925."

It was moved by Mr. J. M. Macgillivray, seconded by Mr. W. I. McLean, that the overture be transmitted to the Assembly with the endorsation of the two matters contained in its prayer. The vote being taken it was carried.

Extracted from the records of the Synod of Hamilton and London, this 29th day of April, 1938.

AUSTIN L. BUDGE,
Clerk.

Hamilton.

No. 15.—Presbytery of North Bay and Temiskaming.

Re ADMISSION OF MINISTERS AND LICENTIATES FROM PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES OUTSIDE THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA

At North Bay, and within the Presbyterian Church there, on Tuesday, the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, which day the Presbytery of North Bay and Temiskaming did meet and was constituted with prayer.

Inter alia.—The Presbytery agreed to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly:—

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Whereas, The Presbyterian Church in Canada has from time to time been receiving ministers and licentiates from Presbyterian Churches outside Canada, and

Whereas, The Presbyterian Church in Canada has, in some instances found that this has neither been advantageous nor happy for the Church or such men themselves, and

Whereas, we believe that The Presbyterian Church in Canada can best be served if Presbyteries and sessions will exercise a deeper zeal in searching out proper young men for the ministry from good Canadian homes;

We Therefore ask the Venerable the General Assembly to scrutinize most carefully those now applying for admission, and any who may apply in the future, and where there is any doubt, the candidate be required to labour for at least one year under the oversight of the Presbytery before being received.

Extracted from the Minutes of the Presbytery of North Bay and Temiskaming this second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

E. J. KERR,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 16.—Presbytery of Hamilton.

Re THEOLOGICAL COLLEGES

At Hamilton, and within St. Paul's Chapel there, May 3, 1938, at 2 p.m., which time and place the Presbytery of Hamilton met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted with prayer.

Sederunt.—Mr. Stuart Woods, *Moderator;* Mr. A. L. Budge, *Clerk;* Drs. N. D. MacDonald, S. Banks Nelson, *et al.*

Inter alia.—An overture was read from Dr. R. Johnston and on motion duly seconded was considered. After careful reasoning it was moved by Dr. F. S. Morley, seconded by Mr. Peter A. Dunn that its prayer be adopted by the Court and forwarded to the General Assembly. Carried.

It was further agreed that Dr. N. D. MacDonald and Mr. Wm. Barclay support the same before the Supreme Court of the Church. The overture is as follows:—

"To the Venerable the General Assembly; indicted to meet in Toronto on June 1, 1938.

Whereas, great and serious changes are taking place in the world to which other departments of learning and teaching are seeking to adjust themselves, and

Whereas, our Theological Colleges continue to provide for our students the same training and the same program that some of us received fifty years ago, and indeed at a more distant date, and

Whereas, there is no criticism of any of the members of our present staff, or any suggestion of change in their personnel, in the mind of this Presbytery,

Therefore the Presbytery of Hamilton humbly and respectfully overtures the Venerable the General Assembly to appoint a Committee for the purpose of studying the curriculum with a view not so much to change as to add to it, thus providing a training that will meet the conditions of today and enable the young ministers to go out and face these and still more changing conditions.

Furthermore that said Committee be instructed to inquire into the possibilities of amalgamating our Colleges, at least in arranging such cooperation as shall render them more effective."

Extracted from the records of the Presbytery of Hamilton this third day of May, 1938.

AUSTIN L. BUDGE,
Presbytery Clerk.

Hamilton.

No. 17.—Presbytery of Peterborough.

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO PLACE THE NAME OF REV. DONALD A. McKENZIE ON THE ROLL OF PRESBYTERY

At Belleville, and within St. Andrew's Church there, on Wednesday, May fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, the Presbytery of Peterborough met in pro re nata session.

Inter alia.—Re placing the name of Rev. Donald A. McKenzie on the Roll of Presbytery, and any other very urgent business.

It was moved by Rev. Dr. A.T. Barr, duly seconded by Rev. J. W. Foote and carried, that this Presbytery petition the General Assembly indicted to meet in Toronto and within Calvin Church there, on Wednesday the first day of June next to come, for permission to place the name Rev. Donald A. McKenzie, retired, on the Roll of Peterborough Presbytery under sub-section (*c*) of Section 176, Book of Forms, on the grounds that his long service and wide experience entitle him to the same.

Extracted from the records of the Presbytery of Peterborough, this fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, and certified correct.

GORDON R. DUNCAN,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 18.—Presbytery of Vindhiya and Satpura Mountain Bhil.

Re FORMATION OF A PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN INDIA

At Mendha, Central India, on the nineteenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven, which day the Vindhiya and Satpura Mountain Bhil Presbytery met and was constituted with prayer.

Inter alia.—The Presbytery agreed that—

"In view of the fact that the Presbytery's Overture regarding union with the U.P. Churches in the Punjab and the formation of a Presbyterian Church in India, was not fairly presented to the General Assembly of 1937 by our Commissioners be again transmitted in 1938."

"That Presbytery at this time respectfully overture the Venerable the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, indicted to meet in the City of Toronto, and in Calvin Church there, on the first Wednesday of June in the year nineteen hundred and thirty-eight, for permission to continue negotiations and consummate a union with the United Presbyterian Churches in the Punjab, also the churches of the Jhansi Presbyterian Mission in the United Provinces, the Free Church of Scotland Mission and the Original Seceders Mission of the Free Church of Scotland in the Central Provinces, as soon as their organizations are completed and they are ready to unite, thereby making possible the forming of a Presbyterian Church in India."

Extracted from the records of the Presbytery of the Vindhiya and Satpura Mountain Bhil by

D. E. McDONALD,
Presbytery Clerk

No. 19.—Presbytery of Edmonton.

Re THREE YEAR TERM FOR APPOINTMENTS OF MEMBERS OF SESSIONS

At Edmonton, and in First Presbyterian Church there, on Thursday, May the 5th, 1938, the Presbytery of Edmonton met in special session and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator, Rev. R. J. Burton.

Inter alia.—"An overture from the session of First Presbyterian Church, Edmonton, praying for an amendment to the constitution of the Church, providing for the retirement of one-third of the members of session annually after serving three years, was presented.

It was agreed on motion of Messrs. Simons and Dods that the overture be forwarded to the General Assembly Simpliciter."

Certified as a correct extract copy of the Minutes.

F. D. ROXBURGH,
Presbytery Clerk.

To the Venerable the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada:

The Kirk Session of The First Presbyterian Church, Edmonton, respectfully overtures the General Assembly that an amendment be made to the constitution of the Church providing that members of session hold office for three years only, and that one-third (⅓) of the members of session retire annually, their places to be filled by the annual election of a similar number by the congregation.

Certified correct extract Minute of Kirk Session, First Presbyterian Church, Edmonton, May third, nineteen hundred and thirty-eight.

ROSS K. CAMERON,
Moderator.

A. B. MacKENZIE,
Clerk of Session.

No. 20.—Synod of Toronto and Kingston.

Re EMPIRE YOUTH MOVEMENT

At Belleville, and within St. Andrew's Church there, on Thursday, the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at the hour of half-past two o'clock in the afternoon, the Synod of Toronto and Kingston met pursuant to adjournment and was duly constituted.

Sederunt.—Messrs. J. Lindsay, *Clerk;* Dr. R. G. Stewart, *Moderator;* Dr. J. S. Shortt, J. C. Grier, *et al.*

Inter alia.—On motion of J. C. Grier and duly seconded the following overture was submitted to and duly adopted by the Court, and ordered forwarded to the General Assembly.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the attention of the Synod has been drawn to the Empire Youth Movement declared "to be spiritual in conception and purpose" and "definitely non-political", originating at the heart of the Empire; and

WHEREAS, this movement may be profitable to the youth of our Church;

THEREFORE, this Synod of Toronto and Kingston assembled in St. Andrew's Church, Belleville, do now humbly overture the Venerable the General Assembly, indicted to meet in Toronto and in Calvin Church there, on the

first day of June of this year, to direct their Board of S. S. and Y. P. S. to study the movement and give guidance to the Church.

Extracted from the records of the Synod of Toronto and Kingston this ninth day of May in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

JOHN LINDSAY,
Clerk of Synod.

Whitby, Ont.

No. 21.—PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER.

TO PLACE THE NAME OF REV. DUNCAN CAMPBELL, D.D., ON THE CONSTITUENT ROLL OF PRESBYTERY

At New Westminster, British Columbia, and within St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church there, on Tuesday the tenth day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at two o'clock in the afternoon, which time and place the Presbytery of Westminster met and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

Inter alia.—It was moved by Mr. McRobbie, duly seconded and agreed, that this Presbytery make application to the next General Assembly for permission to retain the name of the Rev. Duncan Campbell, D.D., on the Constituent Roll of the Presbytery of Westminster.

To the Venerable the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

WHEREAS Rev. Dr. Duncan Campbell has rendered valuable service to our Church for many years and particularly since the disruption in 1925.

AND WHEREAS, he has placed his resignation of the Pastoral Charge of Knox Church, Sapperton, in the hands of the Presbytery to take effect on the 30th day of June of this year.

AND WHEREAS, the experience, long service and other qualities of the Rev. Dr. Duncan Campbell would be of great value in the councils of the Presbytery, and do entitle him to a place of influence and active participation in the courts of the Church,

THEREFORE, we the Presbytery of Westminster, do respectfully overture the Venerable the General Assembly to grant permission to retain the name of the said Rev. Dr. Duncan Campbell, on our Constituent Roll.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Westminster by

J. C. McLEAN-BELL,
Clerk of Presbytery.

North Vancouver, B.C., 12th May, 1938.

No. 22.—PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER.

TO PLACE THE NAME OF REV. ALEX. ESLER, D.D., ON THE CONSTITUENT ROLL OF PRESBYTERY

At New Westminster, British Columbia, and within St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church there, on Tuesday, the tenth day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at two o'clock in the afternoon, which time and place the Presbytery of Westminster met and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

Inter alia.—It was moved by Mr. McRobbie, duly seconded and agreed, that this Presbytery make application to the next General Assembly for permission to retain the name of the Rev. Dr. Alex. Esler on the Constituent Roll of the Presbytery of Westminster.

To the Venerable the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

WHEREAS, Rev. Dr. Alex. Esler has given more than 42 years of good and faithful service to the Church,

AND WHEREAS, he has placed his resignation of the Pastoral Charge of Robertson Church in the hands of the Presbytery to take effect on the 30th day of September, 1938.

AND WHEREAS, his long experience and unflinching loyalty to the principles of our Church would be of great value in the councils of the Presbytery,

THEREFORE, we the Presbytery of Westminster, do respectfully overture the General Assembly to grant permission to retain the name of the said Rev. Dr. Alex. Esler, on our Constituent Roll.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Westminster by

J. C. McLEAN-BELL,
Clerk of Presbytery.

North Vancouver, B.C., 12th May, 1938.

No. 23.—PRESBYTERY OF LONDON.

Re THE FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE CHURCH

At London, and within New St. James, on Friday, the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, which day the Session of New St. James met at eight o'clock evening and was constituted with prayer.

Sederunt.—Rev. James MacKay, D.D., *Moderator;* T. A. Bryan, *Clerk;* Samuel Milliken, Robert Stevenson, A. S. Miller, *et al.*

Inter alia.—The Session carefully considered the financial position of our Church as revealed in the May *Record*, and felt constrained to offer the following overture to the General Assembly, to be drafted and forwarded by a commission duly appointed.

WHEREAS, notwithstanding the repeated appeals made to the Church to wipe out the indebtedness, the deficit has yearly increased until it now amounts to the startling sum of $201,000, and

WHEREAS, during the years since 1925 the sum of $442,187.17 has been accumulated as a deficit, and only $257,475.66 spasmodically raised to wipe it out, and

WHEREAS, there is a proposal to appoint two missionary secretaries at this Assembly which would mean an added expenditure of some $10,000, and

WHEREAS, there is a serious proposal to be made to the Assembly to ask the Church to wipe out the entire debt of $201,000, which would be seriously hampered if other demands be made,

We therefore humbly overture the General Assembly,

1. Not to authorize any higher budget than was contributed by the Church in 1937.
2. Not to make any official appointments involving extra expenditures until the deficit be wiped out.
3. To concentrate on the one object of clearing off the deficit and to make united declaration and full arrangements to that end.

Extracted from the Minutes of the Commission of Session this thirteenth day of May, in the year 1938.

W. D. BEAMER,
JOHN McNAIR,
The Commission.

London, May 13, 1938.

No. 24.—Presbytery of Prince Edward Island.

Re THE GORDON HOMESTEAD

Zion Church, Charlottetown, P.E.I., May 10, 1938, which day the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island met and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator, Rev. T. O. Hughes.

Sederunt.—Rev. T. O. Hughes, *Moderator;* E. J. White, R. H. Stavert, W. Verwolf, J. C. MacNeill, W. L. Detlor, G. C. Webster, R. Moorhead-Legate, D.D., A. S. MacLean, A. O. Thomson, D.D., *Ministers;* and Messrs. Wm. J. Montgomery, M. J. Stewart, J. J. England, *ruling Elders.*

Inter alia.—Re The Gordon Home, Mr. E. J. White moved, seconded by Dr. A. O. Thomson, that the Presbytery overture the General Assembly in the following manner:

Since the birth place of the Gordon brothers, pioneer missionaries and martyrs, has been given to The Presbyterian Church in Canada as an historic shrine, and

Since this property has been left to fall into a deplorable state of disrepair,

Therefore the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island respectfully prays that the Venerable the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, called to meet the first Wednesday in June, 1938, at Toronto and in the Calvin Church there, shall

1. Define whose responsibility it is to look after this historic shrine, and
2. Authorize the erection of a cairn on the site of the house, if the Assembly deems this advisable.

Extracted from the Minutes of the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island by

WM. O. RHOAD,
Clerk of Presbytery.

Kensington, P.E.I., May 13, 1938.

REPORT OF THE HISTORICAL COMMITTEE

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Historical Committee respectfully submits the following report covering the year 1937-1938.

Removal of Asterisk and Footnote

One matter of great interest to our Church has taken place since the last meeting of the General Assembly. The Ottawa Assembly, in response to an overture from the Maritime Synod, appointed Dr. Rochester and the late Dr. A. J. MacGillivray to direct the attention of the Pan-Presbyterian Alliance to the injustice of the asterisk opposite our name, and the accompanying footnote explaining that "The Presbyterian Church in Canada," was a title "in dispute."

Fortunately our conquest was wholly peaceful. The United Church of Canada, who had been the disputants, withdrew their former protest. Hence the Pan-Presbyterian Alliance decided unanimously to remove the asterisk with its explanatory footnote. This action of the parent Presbyterian body is in accord with the decisions of the Supreme Court in Canada. We regretfully note that the recent litigation in connection with the trust funds of New St. James, London, is diametrically opposed to the spirit manifested above.

Tercentenary of the National Covenant

The three-hundredth Anniversary of the signing of the National Covenant has been fittingly observed in different sections of the Dominion. Hearty and enthusiastic Conventicles have been held particularly in the Synod of Hamilton and London, under the leadership of the Rev. Austin L. Budge. Solemn services of public worship, after the old form, were held to commemorate the anniversary of the signing of the covenant in Grayfriar's Churchyard.

Value of Historical Material

A goodly number of Jubilees and Centenaries have been observed throughout our Church, but very few congregations have sent in adequate reports of these milestones in congregational history. Your Committee wishes to emphasize the necessity of either ministers or members in local churches compiling historical records of the salient events in the life of their own people. Failure to put into print the material that lies open to each generation may cause some valuable data to be lost. The preservation and publication of historical matter is of great value to our Church.

Central Depository Established

The trustees of Knox College consented to the reception in the library stack rooms of such records and documents as the Historical Committee has received from time to time. These are being held in trust for the Presbyterian Church in Canada. Some records of Presbyteries and Synods could not be replaced if lost, and the depositing of these in a fireproof building, where ready access can be obtained, was considered to be a matter of first importance. Records, Minutes and all works appertaining to the history of our Church will be received at the library and duly fyled.

Four Hundredth Anniversary

One of the pivotal points in the Reformation to be commemorated this year, will be the quatercentenary of the placing of the English Bible in the churches. This momentous event, which occurred June 19, 1538, should receive fitting recognition throughout the Anglo-Saxon world, since no other influence in the history of Anglo-Saxon peoples is comparable to the treasure of the "Open" Bible.

JOHN McNAB,
Convener.

Toronto, April 19th, 1938.

REPORT OF THE BUDGET AND STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Budget and Stewardship Committee are in a position to report improvement in our givings "For Others" but are by no means satisfied that the results are commensurate either with the material resources of our membership or with the effort expended to promote the flow of income for our work in Canada and beyond the Seas. $1.52 per head (which is exclusive of all but the actual direct contributions of our people) is not the limit of our sacrificial giving as a church and, without it is hoped undue personal claim to merit, the Committee feel that the efforts of themselves and many loyal co-workers throughout the Church are not to be reckoned merely by the $3,000 increase on the previous year's total, since there is to be taken into account the fact that to prevent going back in days like these is in itself an exacting task.

As to the remits from last General Assembly through the recommendations of the Board of Administration regarding Spring and Fall Special Offerings and preparation of a plan for the removal of the accumulated Deficit, which could be made operative at a time when hopes of success might be confidently entertained, the Committee have sought to do as instructed. The Fall Offering—taken last November and prepared for by a special printed communication for information to ministers, material in *The Record*, and a large poster for display prominently in all our churches to educate our membership as to how our Budget Dollar is spent—no doubt helped to increase our income although the actual amount received thereby cannot be accurately gauged since the returns came in often as ordinary Budget givings without any identification with the Fall Offering. It should be added, that a more ready willingness on the part of ministers and office-bearers to answer enquiries designed to acquaint the committee of the local attitude in the matter of the special offering would have been of great assistance.

A plan to have a Key man appointed in each congregation, who would prior to Assembly advise as to the prospects of an early effort in his own church to help to remove the Accumulated Deficit, and later lead such an effort if decided upon by Assembly, has been assiduously fostered though without a complete list of Key men being provided from ministers by the date set to allow of a wholly church-wide ascertainment of opinion on the question of whether or not to launch an early attack on the Deficit.

Canada's great area with its fourfold division of territory into Maritimes, Central Provinces, Prairies and Pacific slopes makes organizing work in a church like ours difficult; yet the response to requests for information or action is well distributed, excellent co-operation often coming from most remote congregations. If the loyal efforts made by a minority of our churches dotted over all parts of our constituency, could become characteristic of the great majority, results would be of a much more encouraging nature. Our Presbyterian system presupposes the latter, but a tendency to individualism and congregationalism is sufficiently strongly marked to rob our present organization of much of its merit. This has to be said, although it must in fairness be added, that the difficulties under which many of our ministers, office-bearers and congregations have laboured in recent years compel us to make allowances for a certain amount of our falling short of our Presbyterian ideals.

RECOMMENDATIONS

We beg leave to submit the following recommendations:—

1. That all be urged to give to God through the Church in proportion as they have been prospered and with due consideration of the scriptural method of the Tithe.

2. That the Spring and Fall Special Offerings be continued in order to bring congregations nearer their allocations and lessen the strain of the "eleventh hour efforts" towards the close of the year.

3. That the efficient working of our Presbyterian system of Church Government be the zealous concern of all, in order that the methods constitutionally adopted and put into practice for the raising of Budget Funds may meet with the fullest possible measure of success.

4. That the Editor of the *Record* be asked to continue to offer as much information as possible concerning the work of the Church in Canada and overseas.

5. That, with as little interference as possible to regular Budget giving the Key man plan of attempting the removal of the Accumulated Deficit be forthwith put into operation, *i.e.*, by having a chosen man take charge of officially provided subscription sheets in each congregation on which all members will have an opportunity to set down their contribution sacrificially made, on the understanding that the history of the Accumulated Deficit is made available in conjunction with these subscription sheets and also that no allocation is set for congregations or Presbyteries, the aim being "Something from Everybody and the best possible from all."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. MacNAMARA,
Secretary.

WILLIAM BARCLAY,
Chairman.

SUMMARY OF BUDGET RECEIPTS BY PRESBYTERIES AND SYNODS

Presbyteries	*Amount Raised 1936*	*Allocation 1937*	*Amount Raised 1937*	*Amount Short*	*Per cent Raised*
Cape Breton and Newfoundland	$ 6,255.31	$ 6,300.00	$ 6,234.23	$ 65.77	98.86
Pictou	6,615.02	8,495.00	7,073.84	1,421.16	83.21
Halifax and Lunenburg	3,800.76	4,200.00	3,746.85	453.15	89.21
Saint John	1,772.02	2,645.00	2,013.28	631.72	76.11
Miramichi	769.42	1,240.00	859.28	380.72	69.29
Prince Edward Island	3,035.37	6,300.00	2,807.98	3,492.02	44.57
Quebec	2,510.67	3,780.00	2,666.37	1,113.63	70.53
Montreal	29,111.23	42,814.31	29,113.55	13,700.76	68.00
Glengarry	3,417.13	5,880.00	3,415.56	2,464.44	58.09
Ottawa	16,449.55	13,720.00	16,614.86	2,894.86 (Over)	121.10
Lanark and Renfrew	3,486.50	6,500.00	3,846.84	2,653.16	59.18
Brockville	2,814.99	5,819.00	3,349.88	2,469.12	57.57
Kingston	4,456.25	8,000.00	5,040.82	2,959.18	63.01
Peterborough	6,097.25	9,000.00	5,490.89	3,509.11	61.00
Lindsay	2,598.58	5,500.00	2,536.70	2,963.30	46.12
Toronto	64,111.41	86,000.00	63,557.36	22,442.64	73.93
Orangeville	1,375.10	3,000.00	1,467.06	1,532.94	48.90
Barrie	8,652.72	14,600.00	7,212.28	7,387.72	49.40
North Bay and Temiskaming	913.16	1,200.00	960.36	239.64	80.03
Algoma	1,326.51	1,500.00	1,655.02	155.02 (Over)	110.33
Saugeen	1,761.13	3,500.00	1,556.63	1,943.37	44.48
Guelph	16,651.78	23,000.00	17,130.96	5,869.04	74.48
Hamilton	26,062.54	37,827.00	26,435.23	11,391.77	69.88
Paris	7,319.33	9,618.00	6,756.19	2,861.81	70.25
London	9,126.74	15,054.00	8,097.13	6,956.87	53.71
Chatham	5,362.62	10,303.00	6,213.13	4,089.87	60.30
Sarnia	4,965.51	5,888.00	5,238.65	649.35	88.97
Stratford	7,978.87	13,075.00	8,418.09	4,656.91	64.39
Huron	3,260.00	5,216.00	3,377.22	1,838.78	64.75
Maitland	5,732.85	9,018.00	5,785.71	3,232.29	64.16
Bruce	4,273.51	7,940.00	4,496.59	3,443.41	56.63
Superior	2,064.02	3,000.00	2,300.66	699.34	76.69
Winnipeg	1,940.45	3,400.00	2,035.58	1,364.42	59.87
Brandon	737.42	2,000.00	823.76	1,176.24	41.19
Regina	2,011.40	3,040.00	1,721.55	1,318.45	56.63
Moose Jaw	875.05	1,030.00	663.59	366.41	64.43
Prince Albert	581.44	1,000.00	444.12	555.88	44.41
Saskatoon	949.80	1,650.00	1,035.30	614.70	62.75
Edmonton	2,847.76	3,990.00	2,582.98	1,407.02	64.74
Peace River	876.72	630.00	710.69	80.69 (Over)	112.81
Red Deer	823.82	1,120.00	749.79	370.21	66.95
Calgary	3,954.44	4,620.00	3,872.67	747.33	83.83
Macleod	1,008.98	1,386.00	871.36	514.64	62.87
Kootenay	356.00	800.00	366.32	433.68	45.79
Westminster	6,165.31	8,850.00	6,491.64	2,358.36	73.35
Victoria	2,180.76	2,700.00	2,228.34	471.66	82.53
Synods					
Maritimes	22,247.90	31,920.00	22,735.46	9,184.54	71.23
Montreal and Ottawa	57,890.07	79,800.00	59,007.06	20,792.94	73.94
Toronto and Kingston	107,943.79	154,560.00	106,608.08	47,951.92	68.98
Hamilton and London	74,081.97	114,240.00	74,817.94	39,422.06	65.49
Manitoba	4,741.89	8,400.00	5,160.00	3,240.00	61.43
Saskatchewan	4,417.69	6,720.00	3,864.56	2,855.44	57.51
Alberta	9,511.72	11,760.00	8,787.49	2,972.51	74.72
British Columbia	8,702.07	12,350.00	9,086.30	3,263.70	73.57

REPORT OF BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

As the years pass, inevitably more of the faithful soldiers and servants of the Master and His Church are called to higher service and a more noble reward. This year the Vice-Chairman of this Board, Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, D.D., finished his earthly service amongst us. He was also Chairman of the Church Extension Fund and the Church and Manse Board, an active, wise, and experienced councillor, passionately devoted to his Lord and his Church. Later in the same month, January of this year, Mr. J. A. Milne, for several years Chairman of the Board of Administration and, until within a few weeks of his death, a trustee of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, ended a full and unsparingly devoted service to this Church. They will be greatly missed in the councils of our Church. Their memories will always be precious to those who were privileged to know them and labour with them. To their families we extend our most sincere sympathy in their sorrow.

We are glad to be able to report a continued increase in the givings of the Church, together with a further decrease in expenditures. Our regret is that as yet our income has not caught up with the current disbursements, the net operating deficit for the year being $16,910.67 as against $30,912.17 last year. This amount has been steadily decreasing and we confidently hope that the current year will see this annual deficit disappear. Advances have been made in certain of our mission fields and everywhere the line has been held and the work of the Church maintained in every department. We pay special tribute to all those who have been responsible during trying days for their steadiness and efficiency in the face of reduced financial support, as their budgets were reduced 10 per cent.

The accumulated deficit has again increased, now amounting to $201,444.57 from $192,428.46 at January 1st, 1937. The special contributions of earnest friends, whose generosity provided $7,716.95 for deficit reduction, added to further payments to the Jubilee Thankoffering and Budget Reduction Funds, totalled $7,894.56. If the whole Church with one mind and purpose will rise with concerted determination and action and steadfast resolve, this accumulated debt on operating expenses since 1927 can and will be removed. Relieved of the interest charges used in carrying this burden, the Church will hereafter be heartened by balanced budgets.

The Board in closest and most harmonious co-operation with the Budget and Stewardship Committee have endeavoured to develop plans for the financial support of the work of the Church and with the approval of Assembly to put them into effective operation. The allocations for the current year have been increased and will be, we trust, maintained in the coming year. The Spring and Fall Thankofferings to permit of enlarging the number of our people who contribute anything to The Presbyterian Church in Canada have been put into operation, and the preliminary work to gather data and effective information to assist in launching a successful attack on the deficit has been commenced. We must here record our disappointment at what appears to be a widespread lack of co-operation on the part of sessions and congregations, many of them in the most influential centres, in facing these problems, supplying the required information, and generally evincing an earnest desire in furthering the well-being of the whole Church. We must steadfastly guard against the tendency to congregationalism, remembering the solidarity of the Presbyterian system and our determination, regardless of local problems, to continue to aid and support, with prayer, with understanding interest, and with sacrificial giving, the

causes to which our Presbyterian family is pledged and for which our ministry and eldership are ordained and inducted. The orderly steady givings of the people through the approved system and inspired by a devotion to the Master and His service, based on ideals of stewardship set us by the Word of God, would solve our financial problems completely before the end of the year.

The analysis of the Treasurer's Statement and balance sheet shows a decrease in the values of Home and Foreign Mission properties occasioned by the writing off of certain lands held for local causes which have now become thriving congregations and indicates, also, the adjustment necessary through the transfer of certain Formosan properties to the Japanese Government. This latter is an indication of some of the difficulties caused in our missionary work through present world political trends and conditions. The Treasurer's analysis shows clearly the Church's great lack of working capital which makes the task of financing so difficult. To supply this lack, we had an overdraft in the Bank at the end of the Church year of $69,787.69 and also liabilities as shown to the W.M.S., Eastern Division, Pension Fund, Church Extension Fund, Sundry Trust Funds, etc., the John Penman Estate Funds and the Missionary Reserves. By these means only was it possible to carry our accumulated deficit and, at the same time, continue to finance the current requirements of the Spending Boards. The interest paid for these accommodations is shown under the heading of Miscellaneous in the Financial Statement and amounts to $15,591.66. We again urge congregations to remit Budget monies promptly to reduce these charges. It will be noted that the total missionary reserves have increased during the year from $124,635.20 to $153,377.19, of which the invested amounts have increased from $63,846.51 to $114,057.06. Attention is again drawn to the fact that the net worth shown as $1,451,854.20 does not represent the total net value of the Church as the special funds as shown in the footnote are not included in the analysis, neither are properties of congregations, these items amounting to several additional millions of dollars. The mortgage indebtedness of congregations has been increased during the year by $5,719.00 to $2,669,375.00.

The Church is most fortunate in the excellent and efficient personnel of the office staff in all departments, showing splendid *esprit de corps* and co-operation. The Treasurer and Mr. Doran are to be congratulated on the splendid condition of the records of accounts and the investment portfolio. The statistics of the Church are presented to succeeding Assemblies in a form and with an accuracy which deserve great praise.

The Board has considered the question of the retiring age of appointees of the Assembly, referred by last Assembly to this Board and recommends that on account of the wide difference of opinion which at present exists that in the meantime, at least, no action should be taken.

In conference with representatives of the Deaconess Training Home, it was agreed to authorize payment of teaching services up to a total of $500.00 provided this expenditure proves absolutely necessary to the conducting of the courses of the Training Home. It was agreed that no action should be taken in enlarging the Home at present.

The question of the three year rule regarding members of Standing Committees was referred by last Assembly to this Board in conference with the other Boards and Committees. This Board found considerable difference of opinion as to retaining the present system or how far it should be modified. The Board recommends that the Senate and Board of Knox College should be exempt from the operation of this rule and, in the case of the other Boards and Committees, that the rule be retained with the provision that one-third of the retiring members be eligible for re-election.

Conferences with Representatives of Spending Boards

A Conference with representatives of the Spending Boards was held on September 15th, 1937, and again on March 14th, 1938. At these meetings reports were submitted showing the financial position as disclosed in the statement of Budget Receipts to those dates.

Your Board is pleased to report that there was evident at these Conferences a sincere desire on the part of the representatives of the various Boards present to co-operate as far as possible. All the departments would appear to have reduced their budgets to the minimum consistent with the carrying out of the duties and responsibilities imposed by the requirements of the work allotted and approved by Assembly. It would seem that if further reductions of expenditures became necessary by lack of revenue, then the time will have to come for Assembly to determine what portion of the work of the Boards must thereafter cease.

Pension Board

It is evident from the position taken at these Conferences by the representatives of the Pension Board, that there is a wide difference of opinion between that Board and the Board of Administration regarding the application of the resolution passed by the Assembly in 1930, which reads:—

> "That an amount up to but not exceeding 5 per cent of the total Budget Receipts be placed annually to the credit of the Pension Fund."

The representatives of the Pension Board interpret the above resolution as requiring an annual payment from the Budget Funds received from congregations of an amount equal to 5 per cent of the total Budget Receipts for the year.

The Board of Administration has been charged with full responsibility in matters financial by the General Assembly, while expected to carry out as far as possible the policies of the Church. Your Board therefore considers that the above resolution should be considered in the light of the Church's financial situation, and while fully sympathetic to the needs of the Pension Fund, holds that the amount to be placed annually to the credit of the Pension Fund, as a charge against the Budget, should be such an amount as the state of the finances warrant, but said amount not to exceed 5 per cent. Further that in any estimated percentage of Budget Receipts, monies that are definitely allocated for some particular department of the Church's work such as Home or Foreign Missions, should not be included in the amount upon which the percentage is to be based. Your Board is anxious that a mutual agreement should be reached if possible which would remove the present difference of interpretation and be satisfactory both to the Pension Board and to this Board, and with due consideration to the financial position of the Church at the present time.

Incorporation

It has been thought advisable by your Board to defer application for an Act of Incorporation pending further conference with the representatives of the United Church of Canada. We fully expect, however, to have the application in order for submission to the next session of Parliament and of the Ontario Legislature.

The United Church of Canada

In accordance with the authority granted by the last Assembly several conferences have been held between a committee appointed by this Board and representatives of the United Church of Canada upon matters of concern to both Churches. We are pleased to report that encouraging progress has been made, and we are hopeful that an agreement will shortly be reached by which any legal barriers that may exist to the use of the full name of our Church will be removed.

Regarding the Overtures from the Western Synods *re* The United Church of Canada referred to the Board by last Assembly, if the negotiations now in progress are successfully concluded, the objects sought by these Overtures will be largely secured. Therefore we recommend that in the meantime no further action be taken.

Title to Congregational Property

In accordance with the action taken by last Assembly, the Presbyteries of the Church were requested to ascertain in what way congregational property within the bounds is held, and to report to this Board. It was found necessary to send out a

second letter to Presbyteries which failed to report within a reasonable time. Reports have been received from 35 Presbyteries, and while a good deal of valuable information was secured, it is evident that there is still much to be done, as many of the reports are incomplete.

Your Board would therefore recommend that Presbyteries be instructed to continue the investigation and to report to this Board.

Estate Mr. John Penman

In accordance with the terms of his will and the action of last Assembly, this Board investigated the possibility of using the residence at Paris, known as "Penmarvian", as a home for sick and retired ministers, and missionaries, and their wives.

A Committee was appointed by this Board, on which the Pension Board, the General Board of Missions, and the W.M.S. (W.D.) were asked to appoint representatives, which was done. Letters were sent out to all retired ministers and ministers' widows. The house was opened for guests on November 1st and has been in operation ever since. While the response to the letters sent out has not been as great as was anticipated, your Board considers that a longer period of trial is required upon which to estimate the prospects for permanent use in this way.

The property has been operated within the income from the Endowment Fund provided by the late Mr. Penman. A statement of receipts and expenditures will be found on page 314.

Mrs. Jennie Bryson Boulter Estate

As instructed, this Board conferred with the General Board of Missions as to the advisability of taking over the use of the residence at Fort Coulonge and operating it as a home for returned Presbyterian missionaries, as desired by Mrs. Boulter. It was found that the amount of Succession Duty levied upon this bequest, and the limited income that would be available, would make it impossible to take over the property and operate it without it becoming at once a charge upon the funds of the Church.

The two Boards therefore agreed with deep regret that it was necessary to renounce the bequest, which was done.

In this connection attention is called to the effect of the present Succession Duties Legislation as passed by the various provinces upon gifts and bequests for religious, educational or charitable purposes. As an illustration, the late Mrs. Boulter in 1934 gave $10,000.00 for Home and Foreign Missions, which was expended as directed by her. In her will she left a further sum of $10,000.00 to Home and Foreign Missions. The Succession Duties Department of the Province of Quebec, included the $10,000.00 given by her in her lifetime in the total value of the Estate, and levied duty and interest upon it to the amount of $2,851.49. Duty and interest were also charged against the bequest mentioned in the Will to the amount of $2,805.05, with the result that all the Church received out of the latter was $4,343.46.

It is feared that the application of the present acts in force in the Provinces of the Dominion will have a detrimental effect upon future gifts or bequests for religious, educational or charitable objects.

Location of Church Offices

As the lease of the offices at 372 Bay Street, Toronto, which have been occupied for nearly ten years, terminates on September 30th, your Board appointed a Committee, with Mr. G. L. Sutherland as Convener, to survey the whole situation, with a view to making the most satisfactory arrangements possible for the future location of the offices.

Some months ago the management of the building at 372 Bay Street informed us that owing to the keen demand for space in that building, they could not undertake to renew the lease at the present rental.

The Committee therefore made a careful investigation of the whole office situation. Certain properties which have been mentioned in connection with the Church offices were looked into, and detailed information was obtained.

The Scott Institute.—"The Committee secured from the builder and contractor a copy of the estimate supplied by him to the Survey Committee and referred to in the report of that Committee to the last General Assembly, which gave an estimate of $10,000.00 as the amount required for alterations and repairs necessary to fit up this building for use as Church offices. It was found on examination that this report and estimate were quite incomplete. It made no provision for the building of fireproof vaults, which are an absolute necessity; no provision for fire doors, as required under the city regulations; no provision for the erection of walls or partitions for the various offices and departments, and did not include all expenses involved in the installation of an elevator. It was seen therefore that the actual cost of repairs and alterations would approximate the estimate previously given by the architect, Mr. A. H. Gregg.

The Committee is therefore of the opinion that in view of all the information received, and having in mind the requirements necessary for the Church offices, it would not be advisable to recommend the use of this building for that purpose."

Knox College.—"In order to obtain full information as to the cost and feasibility of using a part of the residential buildings connected with Knox College, Mr. Gregg, the Architect, was requested to submit plans and estimates as to the probable cost.

The report submitted estimated the cost of necessary changes on the first and second floors of the building facing St. George Street, and known as the West House, at $5,000.00. If the third floor also was required the cost was estimated at $11,800.00 as it would be necessary to install an elevator.

By using the first two floors, 22 bedrooms available for rental to students would be affected, and it was pointed out that the use of the two upper floors by students would be seriously affected if not made impossible.

The Architect pointed out that the window openings are much smaller than should be for office purposes. The cost of enlarging these would be, in his opinion, excessive, and the exterior appearance of the building would be seriously affected.

After full and careful consideration, the following action was taken:—

"The Committee, after having considered the report received from the Architect, who had been requested to go over the proposals to adapt the dormitory space in Knox College for offices of the Church Boards and the W.M.S. (W.D.) was convinced that even after the alterations proposed were made that the building would not prove satisfactory for office purposes, and therefore recommend that this proposal be not entertained for the following reasons:—

1. The estimated cost of the alterations that would be necessary.

2. The distance of the College from the centre of business, and the inconvenience for banking and other facilities.

3. The dislocation that would be caused in connection with Knox College.

It was also agreed to recommend that during the time in which the lease runs for the new Church offices, the matter of acquiring a central residential property which might be converted into a Church centre with offices be thoroughly explored."

A comprehensive report was obtained as to office space available, and the different locations were considered with reference to rental charges, location and general suitability. The Board wishes to point out that the rental of modern office accom-

modation is much higher today than the rate that has been paid by us in the past five years.

Representatives of the W.M.S. (W.D.) were called into conference, and all the information obtained was placed before them. It was found that the W.M.S. required more space than formerly occupied by them, and in any plan considered by your Board it was absolutely necessary that the fullest consideration should be given to their requirements.

The arrangement finally agreed upon, with which the W.M.S. concurred, was to lease for a period of five years, from October 1st, 1938, space on the eighth floor of the Concourse Building, 100 Adelaide Street West.

The allocation of the space leased between the Church offices and the W.M.S. will mean a reduction of about fifteen dollars per month to the Church offices, and an increase of about the same amount to the W.M.S. as compared with the former rental.

As the owners of the building at 372 Bay Street had an opportunity to rent part of the space occupied by us before the termination of our lease, arrangements were made for the occupancy of the new offices about the middle of May, although the lease runs from October the 1st.

The new offices are centrally located, and convenient for all who have business with either the different departments of the Church or with the W.M.S.

The Andrew McCormack Estate

The income from this Estate is being administered under the terms of direction of the Assembly of 1936, "That the net revenue of the Estate be used for local purposes (within the bounds of the Presbytery of Miramichi)". A financial statement will be found on page 174.

Dr. E. Scott Fund

The report of the Dr. E. Scott Fund for the relief of ministers or their families will be found attached to this report, page 168.

Morgan Memorial House

The report of the Morgan Memorial House, Markham, will be found on page 169.

Budget Estimates for 1939

Your Board recommends that the amount of $500,000.00, the same as for 1938, be set as the objective for 1939, to cover the Church's work at home and abroad, and that this amount be allocated to the Synods as follows:—

Maritime Provinces	$ 38,000.00
Montreal and Ottawa	95,000.00
Toronto and Kingston	184,000.00
Hamilton and London	136,000.00
Manitoba	10,000.00
Saskatchewan	8,000.00
Alberta	14,000.00
British Columbia	15,000.00
	$500,000.00

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the attention of Presbyteries be called to the lack of co-operation on the part of many sessions and congregations in carrying out the instructions of the Assembly or in fulfilling their duties as laid down in Section 113 (*a*) in the Book of Forms.

2. That the General Assembly approve of the Budget as submitted and recommend to the Synods of the Church that their respective allocations be approved and, in turn, allocated to the Presbyteries within their bounds at the earliest possible date, not later than October 31st, 1938.

3. That with a view to relieving the burden caused by the accumulated Budget deficit and the large annual interest payments, that steps be taken, with a thorough organization of the whole Church, by such means as this Board and the Budget and Stewardship Committee may approve, to clear off this hindrance to the vital work of the Church at home and abroad.

4. That in view of the incompleteness of the reports, Presbyteries be again directed to ascertain in what way congregational property within the bounds is held, and that such information be referred to a Committee on Property, or such other Committee as each Presbytery in its wisdom may appoint, to take whatever action may be found necessary and that such information be forwarded to this Board.

5. That the Assembly express its pleasure in the action of this Board in operating as a home for sick and retired ministers or missionaries the residence of the late Mr. John Penman at Paris (known as Penmarvian), in an endeavour to ascertain if the wishes of Mr. Penman as set forth in his Will can be successfully carried out, and endorse the present plans adopted for meeting its operating expenses from the income of the Fund provided under the Will.

6. That this Board be authorized to continue the negotiations with the United Church of Canada as referred to in the Board's report, with power to issue.

7. That this Board in conference with the Pension Board present a joint report to the next Assembly dealing with the Fund, the rules at present drawn up, and the progress the Fund has made under these rules, after a revaluation of the Fund by Professor M. Mackenzie.

8. That the Board and Senate of Knox College be excluded from the operation of the three year rule and that the other Boards and Committees of the Church continue under the three year rule with the provision that one-third of the retiring members may be eligible for re-election.

9. That Henry Barber, Mapp and Mapp, Chartered Accountants, be continued as Auditors of the Church accounts, under the same terms as were approved by the Assembly last year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. M. PITTS,
Chairman.

J. W. MacNAMARA,
Secretary.

DR. EPHRAIM SCOTT FUND FOR THE RELIEF OF MINISTERS AND THEIR FAMILIES

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

As explained in previous reports this fund established by the late Dr. Ephraim Scott is administered by a Committee appointed by the Board of Administration, under whose care the Trust was placed by the terms of the Will.

The capital is invested in Trustee Securities, as shown in the Treasurer's statement. A list of these investments may be found on page 185.

The Committee desires again to acknowledge receipt of special gifts amounting to $465.00 during the year to supplement the income from the Fund, which came in response to an appeal through the columns of *The Presbyterian Record*. Through these gifts the Committee was able to extend the benefits of the Fund. The capital of the Fund was also increased during the year by a gift of $1,000.00, and by a bequest of a similar amount.

Assistance was granted during the year to 18 applicants, of whom 6 were ministers, and 12 ministers' widows or relatives. Three have been added since the first of the year.

The Committee desires to point out that the income is still inadequate to provide assistance to all applicants. Only the most urgent cases can be granted help, and then only in a very limited measure. While there has been some increase in the capital since the fund was first established, the Committee earnestly hopes that it may be further increased by gifts or bequests, or that the annual income may be supplemented by subscriptions during the coming year, in order to insure the continuance of the present grants, and to provide for some measure of help to those servants of the Church who find it necessary to make application for assistance. The Committee desires to thank the donors for their generous response to the appeal on behalf of this most deserving fund.

A financial statement follows.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. B. SKENE,
Chairman.

J. W. MACNAMARA,
Secretary.

DR. EPHRAIM SCOTT BENEVOLENT FUND

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JAN. 31ST, 1938

	Income		
Jan. 31, 1937	Balance	$1,312.42	
	Less Accrued Interest	532.68	
		$779.74	
Jan. 31, 1938	Donations	465.00	
	Interest on Investments	2,791.79	
	Bank Interest	13.65	
			$4,050.18
	Expenditure		
Jan. 31, 1938	Benevolences	$3,115.00	
	Expenses	11.60	
			$3,126.60
	Balance at Credit of Income Account		923.58
			$4,050.18

THE MORGAN MEMORIAL HOUSE

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Committee appointed by the Board of Administration to oversee the care of this property begs to report as follows:—

A substantial reduction in the assessment was secured, with a corresponding reduction in taxes.

It was possible to make several improvements, and to effect certain necessary repairs within the income available for upkeep The exterior of the house and the ornamental iron fence in front were painted, and a Bronze Memorial Tablet was placed near the front entrance. Certain necessary repairs will require to be made during the current year. The house is fully occupied at the present time.

A statement of receipts and expenditures is attached.

A. C. STEWART,
Chairman.

J. W. MACNAMARA,
Secretary.

THE MORGAN MEMORIAL HOUSE

INCOME FROM EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT—JANUARY 31ST, 1937, TO JANUARY 31ST, 1938

Balance in Bank, January 31st, 1937			$ 86.75
	Receipts		
Interest on Mortgage Investment		$240.00	
Interest on Bank Account		4.07	
Interest on Dominion Bonds		350.00	
Rent from Tenants		232.00	
Subscription towards cost new door		5.00	
Exchange		.45	
Estate E. B. Hicks		100.00	
			931.52
			$1,018.27
	Disbursements		
Electric Power		$ 16.93	
Oil and Furnace Expenses		178.10	
Water Rates		20.00	
Snow Cleaning and Grass Cutting		9.00	
Coal		39.00	
Painting, Decorating and Repairs		227.79	
Bronze Tablet	$11.35	24.00	
Travelling Expenses	3.83		
		7.52	
Less refund		100.75	
		.15	
Taxes			623.24
Bank Charges			
Balance in Bank, January 31st, 1938			$395.03

TREASURER'S REPORT

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST JANUARY, 1938

ASSETS

PENSION FUND:

Cash in Bank		$ 13,806.08
Investments (book value):		
Bonds and Debentures	$752,577.15	
Mortgages	22,814.40	
		775,391.55
Interest Due and Accrued on Investments		11,014.16
Receivable from Church Budget	$36,462.86	
Receivable from Church Budget (subsequently paid in March, 1938)	5,000.00	
		41,462.86
		$841,674.65

LIABILITIES

PENSION FUND:

Capital Account as at 31st January, 1937		$763,808.13
Additions thereto:		
Ministers Rates	$13,874.84	
Congregations	2,201.44	
Women's Missionary Society (W.D.)	1,278.33	
Estates	8,961.54	
Gifts	400.00	
		26,716.15
		$790,524.28
Deduct:		
Refunds		1,258.45
Capital as at 31st January, 1938		$789,265.83
Income Account as at 31st January, 1937		$61,062.22
Add:		
Interest on Investments	$34,970.28	
Bank Interest	273.25	
Interest on Amount owing from Budget	1,486.48	
Interest *re* Ministers Rates	57.01	
From Church Budget 1937	5,000.00	
		41,787.02
		$102,849.24
Deduct:		
Annuities	$48,967.69	
Expenses	1,508.80	
		50,476.49
Balance as at 31st January, 1938		52,372.75

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET—Continued

Emergency Fund as at 31st January, 1937	$170.95	
Deduct:		
Grants	134.88	
		36.07
Balance as at 31st January, 1938		$841,674.65

ASSETS

CHURCH AND MANSE BOARD:

Cash in Bank		$ 3,760.33
Loans on Properties	$154,179.16	
Less Reserve Provided	100,000.00	
		54,179.16
Investments, including interest (book value)		1,767.50
Property Held for Sale		3,859.62
Receivable from General Funds (subsequently paid)		126.64
		$63,693.25

LIABILITIES

CHURCH AND MANSE BOARD:

Liability to Presbytery of Toronto	$ 1,537.03
Capital Account	62,156.22
	$63,693.25

ASSETS

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND:

Loans to Congregations	$238,497.87	
Less Reserve Provided	75,000.00	
		$163,497.87
Investments, including interest (book value)		2,811.83
Receivable from General Funds *re* Budget Deficit and Extension Funds		5,943.04
		$172,252.74

LIABILITIES

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND:

Bank Overdraft	$ 27,711.53
Capital Account	144,541.21
	$172,252.74

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET—Continued

ASSETS

PROPERTY AND GENERAL FUND:		
Knox College:		
Land and Buildings	$921,021.00	
Endowments	383,612.94	
		$1,304,633.94
Montreal College:		
Land and Buildings	$315,634.00	
Endowments	301,096.83	
		616,730.83
Home Mission Properties:		
Land, Buildings and Equipment		152,758.02
Foreign Mission Properties:		
Land, Buildings and Equipment		271,383.29
Pictou Boys' Residence Property	$65,000.00	
Less Reserve Provided	20,000.00	
		45,000.00
Deaconess Training Home:		
Land, Buildings and Equipment		36,019.82
Scott Institute Property		40,391.79
Palmerston Boulevard Property		20,000.00
		$2,486,917.69
Formosa Mission Council—Funds on the Field		14,685.34
Cash on Hand	$ 225.00	
Investments:		
Bonds, Stocks and Mortgages, including Interest due and accrued (book value)	114,057.06	
		114,282.06
Sundry Accounts Receivable		23.72
Loan Montreal College		5,000.00
Collections subsequent to 31st January, 1938, to apply on 1937 Budget		17,561.37
Salaries and Expenses paid in advance		275.00
Deficit		201,444.57
		$2,840,189.75

LIABILITIES

PROPERTY AND GENERAL FUND:		
Capital		$1,653,298.77
Reserves for Depreciation:		
Knox College	$401,921.00	
Montreal College	150,000.00	
Home Mission Properties	34,593.94	
Foreign Mission Properties	103,586.54	
Scott Institute	9,472.52	
		699,574.00
Mortgages and Agreements Payable:		
Pictou Academy Educational Foundation	$28,750.00	
Deaconess Training Home	15,000.00	
Palmerston Boulevard Property	8,900.00	
Vancouver Property	2,350.00	
Accrued Interest	428.83	
		55,428.83
Bank Overdraft	$69,787.69	
1938 Budget Receipts	1,848.42	
Women's Missionary Society (E.D.):		
British Guiana Building	5,538.00	
On Account for Year 1938	2,500.00	
Accounts Payable	1,000.00	
Pension Fund	41,462.86	
Church Extension Fund	5,943.04	
Sundry Trust Funds	26,239.67	
Sundry Liabilities to Presbyteries and Others	1,147.44	
John Penman Trust Funds	123,043.84	
		278,510.96

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET—Continued

Liability Reserves:		
To Home Missions	$76,081.14	
To Foreign Missions	48,766.93	
		124,848.07
Liability Reserves for Equipment:		
To Home Missions	$14,752.10	
To Foreign Missions	13,777.02	
		28,529.12
Contingent Liability, $10,475.00.		
		$2,840,189.75

SUNDRY TRUST FUNDS

ASSETS

DR. EPHRAIM SCOTT:	
Cash in Bank	$ 1,099.95
Investments, including accrued interest (book value)	56,613.87
	$57,713.82

LIABILITIES

DR. EPHRAIM SCOTT:	
Capital	$56,790.24
Income	923.58
	$57,713.82

ASSETS

SELKIRK MEMORIAL FUND:		
Cash in Bank		$ 39.94
Investments (book value)		982.56
		$1,022.50

LIABILITIES

SELKIRK MEMORIAL FUND:	
Capital	$1,000.00
Income	22.50
	$1,022.50

ASSETS

MORGAN MEMORIAL HOUSE:		
Cash in Bank		$ 395.03
Investments, including accrued interest (book value):		
Bonds	$9,852.48	
Mortgage	6,060.00	
		15,912.48
Alterations to Buildings		1,469.65
		$17,777.16

LIABILITIES

MORGAN MEMORIAL HOUSE:	
Capital	$16,260.10
Income	1,417.06
Sinking Fund	100.00
	$17,777.16

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET—Continued

ASSETS

BELLA SUTHERLAND:	
Investments (book value)	$3,200.00

LIABILITIES

BELLA SUTHERLAND:	
Capital	$3,200.00

ASSETS

ANDREW McCORMICK:	
Investments (book value)	$38,781.25
Receivable from General Funds	3,437.21
	$42,218.46

LIABILITIES

ANDREW McCORMICK:	
Capital	$41,545.45
Income	673.01
	$42,218.46

Toronto, 11th April, 1938.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE PERIOD 1ST FEBRUARY, 1936, TO 31ST JANUARY, 1938

STATEMENT OF REVENUE

BUDGET REVENUE	*1st Feb., 1936 to 31st Jan., 1937*	*1st Feb., 1937 to 31st Jan., 1938*
Unapportioned	$190,422.10	$197,967.14
Home and Foreign Missions	94,822.39	81,284.30
Rally Day Collections	3,063.22	2,978.78
Mother's Day Collections	2,716.34	2,663.39
Thank-offering	.....	7,274.74
Relief Western Canada Ministers	.....	1,713.57
	$291,024.05	$293,881.92
SUNDRY BUDGET REVENUE AND OTHER ITEMS		
S.S. and Y.P.S. (Peace River Project)	$ 296.50	$2,015.00
S.S. and Y.P.S.	45.00	45.00
Royalties "Church Praise"	694.69	667.11
Royalties "Book of Forms"	23.25	.....
Sundries	358.16	286.01
Rent received from Home Mission Properties	150.00	.....
W.M.S. (E.D.)	7,500.00	7,000.00
W.M.S. (E.D.) Pyeng Yeng College	500.00	.....
Legacies	1,623.41	.....
Relief Protestant Church in Europe	.....	50.00
Subscription for Evangelism Committee	.....	75.00
	$302,215.06	$304,020.04

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

GENERAL ASSEMBLY	*1st Feb., 1936 to 31st Jan., 1937*	*1st Feb., 1937 to 31st Jan., 1938*
Commissioners' and Speakers' Expenses	$6,059.75	$6,755.07
The Alliance of Reformed Churches	269.94	265.60
Moderator's Expenses	1,224.97	1,343.00
Printing and Sundries	4,495.94	4,469.76
Totals	$12,050.60	$12,833.43
COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES		
Correspondence with other churches	$557.39	$ 19.80
Board of Education	102.05	191.16
Evangelism, Church Life and Work	239.16	101.75
Business Committee	2.85	.....
Delegates to other churches	100.00	.....
Survey	224.87	380.27
Conference with United Church	.....	46.55
Sustentation	5.30	21.20
Prescott	18.85	.....
Advise with the Moderator	4.20	2.60
Relief Protestant Churches in Europe	.....	300.00
Re Appeal of Andrew Hood	.....	11.20
Summer Session in Theology	.....	22.75
Book of Common Order	.....	53.20
Location of Church Offices	.....	5.10
Totals	$1,254.67	$1,155.58
KNOX COLLEGE		
From Church Budget	$13,000.00	$12,600.00
MONTREAL COLLEGE		
From Church Budget	$15,000.00	$13,500.00
PICTOU BOYS' RESIDENCE		
From Church Budget	$1,631.98	$1,531.43
GENERAL OFFICE		
Rent	$3,232.80	$3,232.80
Office Expenses	1,240.23	1,171.51
Totals	$4,473.03	$4,404.31
ADMINISTRATION		
Salaries	$13,179.00	$13,179.00
Expenses	1,434.35	1,599.93
Totals	$14,613.35	$14,778.93

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES—Continued

	1st Feb., 1936 to 31st Jan., 1937	*1st Feb., 1937 to 31st Jan., 1938*
Sunday Schools and Young People's Societies		
Salaries	$5,151.00	$5,526.00
Travelling Expenses	900.33	680.37
Publications, Supplies, etc	676.86	354.36
Sundries	200.00	200.00
Rally Day Charges against the Fund	1,842.89	1,485.20
Mother's Day Fund Expenses	440.05	450.53
Totals	$9,211.13	$8,696.46
Deaconess Training Home		
Salaries	$2,861.00	$3,068.00
Expenses	1,139.53	902.76
Totals	$4,000.53	$3,970.76
General Board of Missions		
Salaries	$3,990.00	$3,350.00
Travelling Expenses	2,472.57	2,215.30
Sundries	453.31	430.12
Totals	$6,915.88	$5,995.42
Home Missions		
Synodical Missionaries Salaries	$13,455.00	$ 9,180.00
" " Travelling Expenses	2,676.79	1,667.01
Western Ministers Relief	.....	1,061.23
Missionaries' Salaries	14,529.49	17,757.83
" Rent	1,481.12	2,226.51
" Expenses	215.36	450.20
Students' Travelling Expenses	3,279.39	3,538.24
Home Mission Committees and Conveners	165.25	304.72
Grants	95,347.16	97,209.15
Tyndale House, Montreal	3,300.00	3,300.00
Neighborhood House, Hamilton	2,720.00	2,756.00
Redemptive Home, Toronto	1,500.00	1,500.00
Jewish Work, Toronto, Salaries	3,240.00	3,240.00
" " " Expenses	1,207.05	1,194.08
Chinese Work in Canada, Rent	400.00	400.00
" " " " Salaries	6,840.00	6,840.00
" " " " Travelling	371.60	349.65
Lantern Slide Department	16.74	.....
Property Expenses	471.10	640.70
Survey Maritimes, Travelling Expense	.....	395.80
New Carlisle School Home	206.25	.....
Sundry	.....	38.06
	$151,422.30	$154,049.18
Less Transfer from Home Mission Reserve	15,000.00	15,000.00
Totals	$136,422.30	$139,049.18

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES—Continued

	1st Feb., 1936 to 31st Jan., 1937		*1st Feb., 1937 to 31st Jan., 1938*
Foreign Missions			
Sundries	$ 555.03		$ 311.59
Bhil Mission, Salaries and Expenses	21,463.14		21,365.62
Jhansi " " " "	10,622.04		11,543.80
Manchuria " " " "	11,233.32		10,197.08
Formosa " " " "	26,924.57		25,095.50
Korean " " " "	12,086.18		11,527.41
British Guiana " " "	14,684.73		13,789.88
Shanghai—Z. K. Zia, Salary	1,200.00		1,200.00
Canadian School of Missions	150.00		150.00
Canadian Academy, Kobe	350.00		350.00
Pyeng Yeng College, Korea	.....		500.00
	$99,269.01		$96,030.88
Less—Transfer from Foreign Mission Reserve	10,000.00	$15,000.00	
Amount from Estate Wm. Rodger		3,620.72	18,620.72
Totals	$89,269.01		$77,410.16
Net Total for Home and Foreign Missions	$232,607.19		$222,454.76
Budget and Stewardship Expenses	$573.29		$1,408.93
Pension Fund	$5,000.00		$5,000.00
Cost of Buying Rupees—Bhil and Jhansi Fields	$2,070.71		$2,460.82
Miscellaneous			
Interest and Exchange	$7,943.01		$4,991.45
Interest on Pension Fund Liability	1,665.55		1,486.48
Interest on Church Extension Fund Liability	478.30		242.25
Interest allowed on Mission Reserves and Other Funds	5,332.15		3,531.36
Annuity—McCallum	100.00		50.00
Interest Deaconess Training Home Mortgage	900.00		915.10
Publicity	222.57		250.85
Interest on Penmarvian House Bequest	729.16		4,375.02
Totals	$17,370.74		$15,842.51
Net Total Expenditure	$332,857.22		$320,637.92
The Presbyterian Record—			
Subscriptions and Advertising	$11,756.66		$11,508.19
Printing, Salaries and Other Expenses	12,026.67		11,800.98
Deficit	$270.01	Deficit	$292.79

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES—Continued

SUMMARY

Net Expenditure 1st February, 1937, to 31st January, 1938	$320,637.92
Revenue 1st February, 1937, to 31st January, 1938	304,020.04
General Deficit	$16,617.88
Add Deficit on *Record*	292.79
Total Deficit for Year	$16,910.67

DEFICIT ACCOUNT

Deficit as at 31st January, 1937		$192,428.46
Deduct:		
Special Appeal for 1936 Budget Deficit	$7,716.95	
Budget Deficit Fund Collections	38.36	
"Diamond Jubilee" Thank-offering	139.25	
		7,894.56
		$184,533.90
Add:		
Deficit for year ending 31st January, 1938		16,910.67
Deficit as at 31st January, 1938		$201,444.57

E. W. McNEILL,
Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Venerable the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada:

In accordance with your instructions, we have audited the books and accounts of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, for the year ending 31st January, 1938.

The Cash on Hand was verified by actual count during the course of our audit and we received confirmation of the respective bank accounts from your bankers.

We examined the Bond and Debenture securities and found them to be in accord with the books. These securities are held for safekeeping in the vaults of the Toronto General Trusts Corporation. The investments are shown on the Balance Sheet at book value.

No provision has been made for any further depreciation on the various properties shown in the Balance Sheet and we have not verified the title to the real estate, mortgage investments, or loans, by search, certificate of title, confirmation or otherwise.

Subject to the foregoing, we certify that the Balance Sheet is, in our opinion, drawn up so as to show a true and correct view of the affairs of the Church, according to the information and explanations given us and as shown by the books.

HENRY BARBER, MAPP & MAPP,
Chartered Accountants.

Toronto, 11th April, 1938.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT

ANALYSIS OF BALANCE SHEET

January 31st, 1938

Property Account		$2,486,917.69	
Deduct:			
Depreciation Reserves	$699,574.00		
Mortgages and Agreements	55,428.83	755,002.83	
			$1,731,914.86
Add:			
Cash on Hand		$ 225.00	
Sundry Accounts		23.72	
Loan, Montreal College		5,000.00	
Collections subsequent to January 31st, 1938, to apply on 1937 Budget		17,561.37	
Salaries and Expenses Paid in Advance		275.00	
Funds on Foreign Mission Field		14,685.34	
			37,770.43
			$1,769,685.29
Deduct:			
1938 Budget Receipts		$ 1,848.42	
W.M.S. (E.D.) British Guiana Building Account		5,538.00	
Accounts Payable		3,500.00	
Pension Fund		41,462.86	
Church Extension Fund		5,943.04	
Sundry Trust Funds		26,239.67	
Sundry Liabilities to Presbyteries and Others		1,147.44	
John Penman Trust Funds		123,043.84	
			208,723.27
			$1,560,962.02
Reserves	$153,377.19		
Less: Investments	114,057.06	$39,320.13	
		69,787.69	
Bank Overdraft			109,107.82
			$1,451,854.20
Capital Account		$1,653,298.77	
Accumulated Deficit		201,444.57	
Net Worth			$1,451,854.20

NOTE.—The above Analysis does not include the following:—

Pension Fund, Church Extension Fund, Church and Manse Fund, Selkirk Memorial Fund, Dr. Ephraim Scott Benevolent Fund, Morgan Memorial House, Properties of Congregations.

E. W. McNEILL,
Treasurer.

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD AS AT JANUARY 31st, 1938

KNOX COLLEGE—GENERAL ENDOWMENT:

			Book Value
Bonds:			
Morrisburg	1944-45	4½%	$ 5,496.07
Selkirk	1951	5 %	10,000.00
Taber	Yearly	5 %	6,065.18
Markham	"	5 %	2,502.67
Edmonton	1954	5 %	9,908.00
Hydro Electric	1941	6 %	10,005.71
Dominion	1959	4½%	50,226.30
Oshawa	1939	5 %	4,906.00
Sudbury	1949	5 %	3,147.47
Montreal Protestant School	1956	5 %	10,977.00
Calgary	1970	5 %	5,086.39
Swansea	1942	5 %	6,001.80
Toronto	1940	6 %	3,097.50
Toronto	1946	5 %	1,992.50
Toronto	1950	5½%	2,090.52
New Brunswick	1957	5 %	2,190.27
Winnipeg	1943	5 %	1,008.34
Winnipeg	1944	5 %	5,052.50
New Brunswick	1952	5½%	5,743.09
Winnipeg	1942	6 %	4,127.25
Ontario	1948	5 %	4,350.30
Ontario	1947	5½%	11,101.66
Hamilton	1952	6 %	1,159.37
New Brunswick	1952	5½%	5,713.56
New Brunswick	1950	5½%	5,721.03
New Brunswick	1950	5½%	569.65
Montreal	1945	5 %	5,317.77
New Brunswick	1957	5 %	4,479.61
New Brunswick	1952	5½%	558.34
Nova Scotia	1960	5 %	9,464.92
New Brunswick	1963	5 %	1,084.13
			$199,144.90
Stocks:			
Bank of Nova Scotia	25 Shares		5,000.00
Bank of Nova Scotia	5 "		1,250.00
Huron and Erie Loan and Savings	29 "		3,059.50
Cockshutt Plow Company	150 "		756.25
Mortgages and Interest			54,102.56
Total			$263,313.21

KNOX COLLEGE—SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT:

Bonds:			
Toronto	1944	5 %	$9,760.00
Toronto	1946	5 %	8,717.19
Vancouver	1968	4½%	9,303.99
Napanee	1943	5 %	3,905.20
Toronto	1947	5½%	2,238.36
Montreal	1944	6 %	1,039.06
Dominion	1958	4½%	1,072.21
Ontario	1948	5 %	1,087.58
Hamilton	1952	6 %	3,577.80
			$40,701.39
Mortgages and Interest			11,250.00
Total			$51,951.39

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD—Continued

KNOX COLLEGE—NON-COMPETITIVE SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT:

Bonds:			
Vancouver	1938	4½%	$9,304.01
Windsor	1940	5 %	2,500.00
Toronto	1947-50	5½%	2,432.28
Montreal	1944	6 %	1,558.59
New Brunswick	1957	5 %	547.56
New Brunswick	1957	5 %	3,236.85
			$19,579.29
Mortgage			3,518.00
Total			$23,097.29

KNOX COLLEGE—DONALD MCLELLAN ESTATE:

Bonds:			
Alberta	1958	4½%	$2,381.25
Montreal	1944	6 %	1,558.59
Dominion	1958	4½%	8,899.13
			$12,838.97
Mortgages and Interest			4,500.00
Total			$17,338.97

KNOX COLLEGE—THE JOSEPH HENDERSON BURSARY:

Bonds:			
Bell Telephone	1957	5 %	$5,000.00
Dominion	1958	4½%	1,822.70
Total			$6,822.70

KNOX COLLEGE—THE M. G. ABEY BURSARY:

Bonds:			
Sudbury	1949	5 %	$1,100.00
Toronto	1946	5 %	1,245.31
New Brunswick	1957	5 %	1,078.95
			$3,424.26
Mortgage			4,000.00
Total			$7,424.26

KNOX COLLEGE—ORGAN UP-KEEP FUND:

Bonds:			
Sudbury	1949	5 %	$ 600.00
Toronto	1950	5½%	1,167.36
New Brunswick	1957	5 %	1,078.95
Total			$2,846.31

KNOX COLLEGE—Total Investments held for various funds as follows:—

General Endowment	$263,313.21
Scholarship Endowment	51,951.39
Non-Competitive Scholarship Endowment	23,097.29
Donald McLellan Estate	17,338.97
The Joseph Henderson Bursary	6,822.70
The M. G. Abey Bursary	7,424.26
The Organ Up-Keep Fund	2,846.31
	$372,794.13

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD—Continued

Home and Foreign Mission Reserves (from Bequests):

Bonds:			
Dominion	1944	4½%	$ 2,100.00
"	1958	5½%	106.00
"	1943	5 %	500.00
"	1940	4½%	500.00
"	1959	4½%	1,000.00
"	1948	5 %	2,500.00
Ontario	1940	6 %	500.00
Saskatchewan	1956	4½%	982.56
Canadian National Railway	1940	5 %	1,436.25
Oak Bay	1941	6 %	1,060.00
Hydro Electric			1.00
St. Lawrence Petroleum (written down)	1958	4½%	100.00
Dominion			1,000.00
Inverness (written down)			5,000.00
Alberta (written down)	1942	5½%	1,095.00
Ontario			933.30
Thorold (defaulter)	1956	5 %	820.00
Calgary	1945	4½%	1,000.00
Toronto	1953	5 %	721.50
Postal Telegraph	1951	5 %	1,055.00
Halifax	1943	5 %	2,160.00
Dominion	1949	3½%	1,071.40
"	1945	4 %	1,500.00
Winnipeg (Acc. W.M.S. Paris, Ont.) from Martha Penman Estate	1958	4½%	4,999.99
Dominion	1949	3½%	3,057.00
"	1958	4½%	7,486.80
Canadian National Railways	1969	5 %	2,370.00
B. C. Telephone	1961	4½%	2,105.00
Cedar Rapids Mfg. Co	1953	5 %	2,260.00
Gatineau Power	1956	5 %	1,027.50
Montreal Coke	1947	4 %	2,070.00
Saguenay Power	1966	4¼%	1,022.50
Shawinigan Water and Power	1961	4 %	3,950.00
Montreal Light, Heat and Power	1939	3 %	2,700.00
Nova Scotia (Per Mrs. Jessie F. Auld)	1949	3½%	1,995.00
Nova Scotia (Income for Brampton Church)	1949	3½%	498.75
Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co.			161.00
			$62,845.55
Accrued Interest			697.20
			$63,542.75

Mortgages:	
Christina Howe Estate	$2,095.00
Rebecca Beatty Buck Estate	5,000.00
" " " "	2,425.00
" " " "	3,157.50
" " " "	1,800.00
" " " "	3,596.25
	$18,073.75

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD—Continued

Shares:			
Bank of Montreal	2		$ 500.00
Maple Leaf Milling	6		37.50
Canada Permanent	16		2,224.00
Nova Scotia Steel and Coal	9		1.00
Continental Milling	5		1.00
Jubilee Mining and Development	300		1.00
Eastern Car	2	(Prefd.)	100.00
Royal Bank	12		1,920.00
Bank of Montreal	126		24,446.00
Canadian Pacific Railway	270		2,227.50
			$31,458.00

Sabbath School and Young People's Society (*Re* S.S. Van.):

Bonds:			
Canadian National Railways	1956	4½%	$982.56

Summary for Home and Foreign Mission Reserves:

Bonds	$63,542.75
Mortgages	18,073.75
Shares	31,458.00
	$113,074.50

Sabbath School and Young People's Society:

Bonds	$982.56
	$114,057.06

Aid of Small Churches (Andrew McCormick Estate):

Bonds:			
Dominion	1943	5 %	$5,725.00
"	1946	4½%	565.00
"	1940	4½%	1,642.50
"	1945	4 %	1,642.50
"	1944	4½%	565.00
"	1949	3½%	2,112.50
"	1959	4½%	4,520.00
"	1957	4½%	2,240.00
"	1958	4½%	3,946.25
Canadian National Railway Co	1969	5 %	1,205.00
Eastern Dairies	1949	6 %	1,615.00
Province Quebec	1963	4½%	1,140.00
Dryden Paper Co	1949	6 %	510.00
McCormicks Ltd	1950	5½%	305.00
Burns & Co			390.00
			$28,123.75
Shares:			
Bank of Nova Scotia		32	$8,960.00
Bank of Canada		10	585.00
McCormicks Ltd		20	175.00
Burns & Co. Ltd		2½	37.50
Mortgage			900.00
			$38,781.25

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD—Continued

Pension Fund:

Bonds:			
Cochrane	1947	5 %	$15,604.31
"	1947	5 %	15,604.29
"	1944	4½%	49,125.00
Ontario	1944	4½%	49,125.00
"	1959	5 %	25,044.00
"	1940	4½%	49,575.00
Dominion	1940	4½%	49,575.00
"	1957	4½%	49,140.00
Canadian National Railway	1957	4½%	49,140.00
" " "	1957	4½%	2,167.26
" " "	1940	4½%	64,577.50
Dominion	1955	4½%	39,700.00
Ontario	1939	4½%	24,047.50
Toronto	1939	4½%	24,047.50
"	1957	4½%	1,000.00
Dominion	1958	4½%	200.00
"	1959	4½%	1,500.00
"	1970	4¾%	25,360.64
Ontario Hydro	1956	4½%	3,930.24
Canadian National Railway	1956	4½%	9,828.00
" " "	1949	3½%	4,844.00
Dominion	1958	4½%	1,072.18
"	1938-39	5½%	9,825.90
Toronto	1940	6 %	9,950.00
Montreal	1940	6 %	10,433.32
Toronto	1941	6 %	4,139.76
Montreal	1952	5½%	2,053.51
New Brunswick	1950	5½%	18,658.11
" "	1944	6 %	6,234.36
Montreal	1948	5 %	10,875.78
Ontario	1949-59	4½%	5,214.28
Dominion	1950	5½%	5,409.50
New Brunswick	1956	4½%	6,197.60
Dominion	1959	5 %	4,421.66
Nova Scotia	1947	5½%	3,345.45
Ontario	1946	5½%	13,163.44
"	1952	5½%	5,684.37
New Brunswick	1943	6 %	3,217.50
Ontario	1946	6 %	2,757.40
Hamilton	1952	6 %	4,161.83
"	1949	5 %	1,088.16
"	1952	5½%	11,505.00
New Brunswick	1954	5 %	3,347.08
Montreal	1963	5 %	8,078.51
New Brunswick	1959	5 %	5,705.43
Nova Scotia	1960	5 %	2,286.55
" "	1960	5 %	5,716.36
" "	1952	5½%	1,116.67
New Brunswick	1960	5 %	5,706.50
Nova Scotia	1959	5½%	6,043.08
Toronto	1950	5½%	4,420.82
New Brunswick	1963	5 %	5,437.50
" "	1941	4¼%	4,036.80
Montreal	1960	5 %	8,137.50
Nova Scotia			
			$752,577.15
Mortgages			22,814.40
Total			$775,391.55

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD—Continued

Church Extension Fund:

Bond:			
Richmond-Bay Co	1947	6½%	$1,010.83
Shares:			
Bell Telephone 18			1,800.00
Miscellaneous			1.00
			$2,811.83

Church and Manse Fund:

Bond:			
Dominion Perpetual		3 %	$1,767.50

Dr. Ephraim Scott Benevolent Fund:

Bonds:			
Canadian National Railway	1956	4½%	$ 3,940.23
" " "	1957	4½%	10,794.54
Dominion	1941	5 %	10,571.42
New Brunswick	1960	4¾%	10,729.79
" "	1957	5 %	2,737.80
Winnipeg	1944	5 %	4,042.00
"	1946	6 %	1,049.50
"	1946	6 %	1,049.50
Montreal	1944	6 %	5,345.45
Hamilton	1948	5 %	1,075.62
"	1952	6 %	1,764.74
Montreal Tramways	1955	5 %	867.36
New Brunswick	1963	5 %	1,087.50
Montreal	1941	4¼%	1,016.53
			$56,071.98
Accrued Interest			541.89
			$56,613.87

Selkirk Memorial Fund:

Bond:			
Canadian National Railway	1956	4½%	$982.56

Mary Morgan Memorial House:

Bond:			
Dominion of Canada	1949	3½%	$9,852.48
Mortgage			6,060.00
			$15,912.48

Bella Sutherland:

Guaranteed Trust Certificate	$3,200.00

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD—Continued

SUMMARY OF BOOK VALUE OF SECURITIES HELD BY DEPARTMENTS NOT INCLUDING THE MONTREAL COLLEGE

Knox College	$372,794.13
Home and Foreign Missions Reserve, and S.S. and Y.P.S.	114,057.06
Andrew McCormick Estate	38,781.25
Pension Fund	775,391.55
Church Extension Fund	2,811.83
Church and Manse Fund	1,767.50
Dr. Ephraim Scott Benevolent Fund	56,613.87
Selkirk Memorial Fund	982.56
Mary Morgan Memorial House	15,912.48
Bella Sutherland	3,200.00
	$1,382,312.23

HOME MISSION EQUIPMENT RESERVE

1937		
Jan. 31	Balance at Credit	$9,540.83

EXPENDITURES

Feb. 17	Wanham, Alberta	$ 328.52	
" 18	Lakefield and Lakevale, Ontario	100.00	
" 24	Recording Fees *re* Geraldton, Ontario	6.20	
" 26	British Columbia Survey	196.66	
Mar. 25	" " "	326.21	
April 14	Eckville, Alberta	150.00	
" 26	Fort St. John, British Columbia	500.00	
	Refund on Estate—Findlay	19.00	
	British Columbia Survey	196.66	
May 3	" " "	80.09	
" 10	Neepawa, Manitoba	200.00	
" 26	British Columbia Survey	196.66	
" 31	Prestville, Alberta	300.00	
June 21	Vermilion, Alberta	225.00	
" 26	British Columbia Survey	196.66	
" 30	" " "	166.38	
July 26	" " "	196.66	
Aug. 16	Prestville, Alberta	20.00	
" 24	Wanham, Alberta	3.05	
	Dixonville, Alberta	8.77	
	Scott Institute, Toronto, Fire Insurance	108.00	
" 26	British Columbia Survey	196.66	
Sept. 25	" " "	196.66	
" 27	" " "	140.09	
" 29	Lizard Point Reserve, Manitoba	35.00	
	Rolling River Reserve, Manitoba	167.52	
Oct. 26	British Columbia Survey	196.66	
" 28	Chinese Mission Property, Vancouver	37.50	
Nov. 24	Cobourg, Ontario	500.00	
Dec. 15	New Carlisle School Home, New Brunswick	150.00	
" 22	British Columbia Survey	42.48	
1938			
Jan. 28	Arnprior, Ontario	1,000.00	
	Prestville, Alberta	150.00	
" 31	Chinese Mission Property, Vancouver	37.50	
	Hislop Estate Adjustment	14.90	
	Proportion Legal Costs	39.75	
	Proportion Advertising	7.87	
		$6,437.11	

RECEIPTS

1938			
Jan. 31	Interest on Home Mission Reserves		$2,892.63
	Bequests		8,580.75
	Refund from Dr. N. S. Savage		100.00
	From W.M.S. (E.D.) Share repairs, New Carlisle School Home		75.00
	Balance at Credit	$14,752.10	
		$21,189.21	$21,189.21
1938			
Jan. 31	Balance at Credit		$14,752.10

FOREIGN MISSION EQUIPMENT RESERVE

1937		
Jan. 31	Balance at Credit	$6,611.82

EXPENDITURES

Feb. 17	Bhil	$ 335.76	
" 18	Shanghai	300.00	
April 27	Bhil	225.06	
July 12	Jhansi	200.00	
	Kobe	100.00	
1938			
Jan. 31	Refund Findlay Estate	19.00	
	Proportion Legal Costs	39.76	
	Proportion of Advertising	7.87	
	Retiring Allowances	2,010.00	

RECEIPTS

1938			
Jan. 31	Interest on Foreign Mission Reserves		1,717.89
	Bequests		8,684.76
	Balance at Credit	13,777.02	
		$17,014.47	$17,014.47
1938			
Jan. 31	Balance at Credit		$13,777.02

STATEMENT OF BEQUESTS RECEIVED IN CASH OR SECURITIES FROM FEBRUARY 1st, 1937, TO JANUARY 31st, 1938

Estates	*Designation*	*Amount*
George Lamb	Missionary Schemes	$ 130.00
Robert Dawson	Home and Foreign Missions	5,416.76
Marie Tomlinson	Foreign Missions	280.32
Isabel M. Archibald	Home Missions	25.00
Andrew M. Hislop	Home and Foreign Missions	59.67
Fannie McKenzie	Foreign Missions	220.32
Jeanette Hossack	Missionary Fund	508.33
Donald McKenzie	Home and Foreign Missions	1,215.00
David Crawford	Missionary Funds	152.00
Owen Campbell	Foreign Missions	98.50
Jessie Allan	General Funds	150.00
Jennie Bryson Boulter	Home and Foreign Missions	4,384.39
Margaret Woodrow	French Evangelization	3,010.00
George Wilson	Home Missions	27.00
Hendry Etta Durie	W.M.S., (W.D.)	774.35
Hugh B. Woodrow	Home and Foreign Missions	56,652.08
William Rodger	Jhansi Mission	3,620.72
W. H. Williams	Home and Foreign Missions	88.56
	Total including interest allowed	$76,813.00

PENSION FUND

Isabel M. Archibald	$ 25.00
John Rutherford	1,436.54
John Penman	1,500.00
Margaret A. Woodrow	6,000.00
	$8,961.54

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND

Mary Elizabeth Beatty	$1,000.00
J. Jones Bell	515.00
Rebecca Beatty Buck	750.00
John Penman	3,000.00
	$5,265.00

KNOX COLLEGE

John Penman	$3,000.00

SUMMARY

General Funds	$76,813.00
Pension Fund	8,961.54
Church Extension Fund	5,265.00
Knox College	3,000.00
Total	$94,039.54

E W. McNEILL,
Treasurer.

STATISTICAL AND FINANCIAL REPORT

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

In submitting this report regret is expressed that attention must again be called to the necessity and importance of securing prompt, complete and accurate returns from all Sessions and Congregations through the Clerks of Presbyteries. Section 113 (*a*) of the Book of Forms states:—"The Session is responsible for the discharge of such duties as may be laid upon it by resolution of the Assembly, *e.g.*, making statistical returns or other reports (not later than the month of February in each year, Minutes, 1904)."

It is to be feared that many Sessions take their duties in this respect very lightly. Clerks of Presbyteries complain of the great difficulty in securing prompt returns from Sessions. In consequence returns from Presbyteries to the Clerk of Assembly are frequently delayed until the end of April or even past the middle of May, and even then are not always complete.

Further sufficient care is not taken to see that the returns are correct, that the membership reported agrees with the figures of the previous year, after computing the net gain or loss, or that the returns in the financial columns agree. The Clerks' office would welcome at any time a visit from Clerks of Presbyteries, and would be glad to show the changes and corrections that have been found necessary before the report could be printed.

The following comparative summary is submitted:—

MEMBERSHIP

Received during the year on Profession of Faith 5,353, a decrease of 148 from the previous year. By Certificate, 3,939, an increase of 358. Total number of members received, 9,292, an increase of 210. Removed by Certificate, 2,577, an increase of 291. By death or otherwise, 7,111, a decrease of 144. Total removals reported 9,688, an increase of 147 over the removals reported in the previous year.

The total membership reported is 175,824, a decrease of 1,238, but according to the figures just given the net decrease should have been 396. Three Synods report increase. The Maritime Provinces, Montreal and Ottawa, and Hamilton and London report small increases. All the other Synods report decreases, Toronto and Kingston leading with a decrease of 816, and Alberta next with a decrease of 513. Attention is drawn to the gradual decrease in membership in recent years. In 1931 the membership reported was 180,956. The figures for 1937 indicate a decrease of 5,132 since that date. This may be due to a more careful revision of Communion rolls, but it is respectfully submitted that it is a condition which should receive the careful attention of the Courts of the Church.

FAMILIES

The total number of families reported is 87,899, an increase of 396. The Synods of the Maritime Provinces, Montreal and Ottawa, and Toronto and Kingston report increases. Montreal and Ottawa report an increase of 441, and Toronto and Kingston 226. All the other Synods report decreases, Alberta leading with a decrease of 226.

BAPTISMS

Infants, 4,872, a decrease of 77; adults, 642, an increase of 85.

ELDERS

The total number of Elders reported is 6,160, a decrease of 2.

MINISTERS

Seven hundred and forty ministers are reported, an increase of 3. Since last Assembly 18 ministers have been called away by death.

CONGREGATIONS

Self-sustaining, 380, a decrease of 8. Augmented Charges, 173, an increase of 4. Mission Fields, 214, a decrease of 2. Total number of Congregations and Preaching Stations, 1,313, an increase of 12.

Finances

The Maritime Provinces, Montreal and Ottawa, Hamilton and London, and Manitoba report increases in the amount paid by congregations for stipend. The other four Synods report decreases, the net increase reported being $4,594.00. In the amount raised for all congregational purposes five Synods report increases. The Maritime Provinces, Toronto and Kingston, Hamilton and London, Manitoba, and British Columbia. The other three Synods report decreases, the net increase in the column being $63,357.

For other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes the report shows a decrease of $2,775. The Maritime Synod, Montreal and Ottawa, Saskatchewan and British Columbia report increases, the other Synods decreases. In the total reported as shown raised for all purposes there is shown an increase of $6,827. The Maritimes Synod, Montreal and Ottawa, Toronto and Kingston, Manitoba and British Columbia report increases, the other three decreases.

The Budget

A comparative statement of the Budget Receipts from Congregations by Synods and Presbyteries, with the percentage of the allocations raised will be found in the report of the Budget and Stewardship Committee page 158. It will be seen from that Summary that none of the Synods raised their allocation, the highest being Alberta 74.72 per cent, Montreal and Ottawa 73.94 per cent, British Columbia 73.57 per cent.

The following Presbyteries exceeded their allocations:—Ottawa, 121.10 per cent; Peace River, 112.81 per cent; Algoma, 110.33 per cent; the next above 80 per cent in order being Cape Breton and Newfoundland, 98.86 per cent; Halifax and Lunenburg, 89.21 per cent; Sarnia, 88.94 per cent; Pictou, 83.21 per cent; Calgary, 83.83 per cent; Victoria, 82.53 per cent.

The following Presbyteries fell below 50 per cent of their allocations:—Prince Edward Island, Lindsay, Orangeville, Barrie, North Bay and Temiskaming, Saugeen, Brandon, Prince Albert and Kootenay.

SUMMARY OF FINANCES

Amount paid by Congregations for "Stipend"		$1,035,957.00
Increase over 1936	$4,594.00	
Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes		2,467,362.00
Increase over 1936	$63,357.00	
Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes		91,565.00
Decrease from 1936	$2,775.00	
Amount raised for all Purposes		3,025,241.00
Increase over 1936	$6,827.00	

REPORT BY SYNODS OF MORTGAGE INDEBTEDNESS

Synod		*Amount*
The Maritime Provinces		$305,444.00
A decrease of	$6,554.00	
Montreal and Ottawa		538,175.00
A decrease of	$9,495.00	
Toronto and Kingston		950,268.00
A decrease of	$26,577.00	
Hamilton and London		424,819.00
An increase of	$75,194.00	
Manitoba		166,781.00
A decrease of	$3,701.00	
Saskatchewan		85,466.00
A decrease of	$2,136.00	
Alberta		95,388.00
A decrease of	$16,084.00	
British Columbia		102,618.00
A decrease of	$4,862.00	
Total amount reported		$2,669,375.00
An increase of	$5,719.00	

STATISTICAL SUMMARY BY SYNODS

Synods	*No. of Ministers*	*No. of Elders*	*Families*	*Communicants Received*		*Communicants Removed*		*Communicants on Roll*
				By Profession	*By Certificate*	*By Certificate*	*By Death or Otherwise*	
Maritime Provinces	91	791	10,947	577	372	104	651	19,334
Montreal and Ottawa	107	937	14,701	992	613	502	996	28,461
Toronto and Kingston	229	1,972	26,576	1,659	1,461	924	2,806	58,239
Hamilton and London	163	1,568	22,461	1,354	1,059	665	1,796	47,023
Manitoba	23	211	2,987	181	76	56	146	5,735
Saskatchewan	27	184	2,812	194	71	92	300	4,787
Alberta	31	227	3,639	180	119	130	131	6,022
British Columbia	58	253	3,542	204	166	104	277	5,848
Presbytery Vindhiya and Satpura Mt. Bhil	11	17	234	12	2	...	8	375
Totals	740	6,160	87,899	5,353	3,939	2,577	7,111	175,824

STATISTICAL SUMMARY BY SYNODS

Synods	*Self-sustaining Charges*	*Congregations in them*	*Augmented Charges*	*Congregations in them*	*Mission Fields*	*Preaching Stns. in them*	*Total Congs. & Preaching Stations*
Maritime Provinces	43	69	51	116	25	52	236
Montreal and Ottawa	58	80	27	48	26	45	173
Toronto and Kingston	128	199	25	46	42	64	309
Hamilton and London	115	178	25	45	12	19	242
Manitoba	9	10	11	16	27	37	63
Saskatchewan	6	8	9	17	23	65	90
Alberta	8	10	14	21	27	78	110
British Columbia	13	13	11	11	24	36	60
Presbytery of Vindhiya and Satpura Mt. Bhil	...	...	..	..	8	30	30
Totals	380	567	173	320	214	426	1,313

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. MacNAMARA,
Clerk of Assembly.

STATISTICAL AND

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Baddeck	A. W. R. MacKenzie	Baddeck, N.S.	Angus N. MacKenzie	Baddeck, N.S.
	Big Baddeck				
2	Boularderie, Knox	M. N. McDonald	Big Bras d'Or, N.S.	M. D. MacDonald	Boularderie, N.S.
	St. James				
3	Cape North	Supply		William J. MacLennan	Big Intervale, Victoria Co., N.S.
	Neil's Harbour				
	Ingonish				
4	Glace Bay	Charles S. Miller, M.A., B.D.	16 Catherine St., Glace Bay.	Duncan MacRae	15 Yorke St., Glace Bay.
5	Grand Falls, Nfld	Herbert J. Scott	Grand Falls, Nfld.	J. W. Mitchell	18 Mill Rd., Grand Falls, Nfld.
6	Grand River	Supply		John A. Ferguson	Ferguson's Lake, N.S.
	Framboise			John D. Morrison	Lower St. Esprit, N.S.
	Loch Lomond				
7	Lake Ainslie	John F. Nute, B.A.	Trout River, N.S.	N. J. MacPhail	Scotsville, N.S.
	Strathlorne			Neil D. MacInnis	Glenville, N.S.
8	Little Narrows	Archibald D. MacKinnon, B.A.	Little Narrows, N.S.	Angus N. MacIver	Hazeldale, N.S.
	Whycocomagh			Neil Robertson	Soapstone Mine, N.S.
9	Louisburg	Joseph Cathcart	Louisburg, N.S.	D. G. Cameron	Louisburg, N.S.
10	Marion Bridge	Supply		D. P. Morrison	Marion Bridge, N.S.
11	Middle River	Supply		D. A. MacDermid	Middle River, N.S.
12	Mira Ferry	Howard A. Doig	Albert Bridge, N.S.	D. A. MacDonald	Albert Bridge, N.S.
	Catalone			Donald MacVicar	Catalone Gut, N.S.
13	North River	D. J. Gillies	Indian Brook, N.S.	Malcolm MacDonald	Tarbot, N.S.
	French River				
	Indian Brook				
14	North Sydney	J. W. Smith	Box 645, North Sydney, N.S.	Neil MacLean	North Sydney, N.S.
15	Orangedale	A. H. Sproule	Orangedale, N.S.	Neil L. Gillis	Gillis Cove, N.S.
	Malagawatch			Murdoch MacKay	Malagawatch, N.S.
	River Denys			John K. MacLennan	Victoria Line, N.S.
16	South Gut	Supply		John D. MacLeod	South Gut, St. Ann's, N.S.
	Englishtown				
17	St. John's, Nfld	James McNeill	Queen's Rd., St. John's, Nfld.	R. A. Templeton	337 Water St., St. John's, Nfld.
	Sydney:—				
18	The Presbyterian Church	M. Maxwell MacOdrum, B.A., M.A., Ph.D.	Box 307, Sydney	Ronald McVicar, LL.B.	Box 460, Sydney
19	Westminster	Alexander A. Murray, D.D.	223 Esplanade	L. G. MacKeigan	Box 114, Sydney
20	Sydney Mines	Quincy A. McDowell, M.A., B.D.	Queen St., Sydney Mines.	Edmund MacDonald	Clyde Ave., Sydney Mines.
	Mission Fields				
1	Birch Grove	Supply		John A. Ferguson	Broughton, N.S.
	Broughton				
	†Caledonia Mines				
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Foreign Missionary	Malcolm MacKay, B.A.	Kobe, Japan		
2		Duncan McColl	Carnoch, Glencoe, Scotland		
3		Karam Guergis	83 Gledhill Ave., Toronto, Ont.		
4		Lauchlin Beaton, B.A.	Markham, Ont.		

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	9	Total on Roll	15
In Augmented Charges	6	Ministers on Appendix	4
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	19

Little Narrows, N.S., April 12, 1938.

†Reported by Treasurer.

FINANCIAL RETURNS

1. PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON AND NEWFOUNDLAND

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	Communicants: Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
														$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	10	106	7	6	12	78	5	3	2	5		161	M	1800	1000	3037	142		65	3244	142.00	1
3	14	145	5	..	6	50	2				4	197	M	2000		2896	283	206	354	3739	107.00	2
																					181.80	
3	4	31	5	..	4	21						34	M	203	333	395	34			429	33.70	3
																					.62	
1	13	322	25	1	30	275	12	2	1	3		413		2800		9694	924	60	646	11324	924.00	4
1	3	26	1	..	4	24	1	1				67	M	1000		1209	10			1219	10.00	5
3	7	60	1	..							1	63	M	557		688			88	776		6
	5	57		..							2	47		550		650	10			660	5.00	
	6	42		..			4				3	47		550		625				625		7
2	6	43	7	..	4	20	2	1			1	73	M	660		764	84		54	902	84.00	
	4	18	6	..	4	14					2	36		200	75	390	21			411	21.05	
2	7	123	15	1	16	98	2	3			4	119	M	1000		1730	126	308	181	2345	126.36	8
	5	54	10	..	2	24	5	2			2	84		800		1144	63	10	85	1302	63.00	
1	3	35	1	..							3	34	R H	1200		1467	21			1488	21.00	9
1	8	43	6	1	4	27	4	1			2	79	M	720		1162	84		78	1324	84.00	10
1	7	85		..			3				3	106	M	324		578	36	79	66	759	36.00	11
2	8	28	5	1	3	14	1				7	78	M	650	218	1692	53		38	1783	84.00	12
	2	27	4	..	4	30						26		562		855	57		27	939	57.00	
3	13	140	3	..			6	1			3	168	M	1800		2000	142			2142	142.00	13
1	6	50	2	2	13	123	7	2	2	1		171	M	1260		2402	204	13	102	2721	203.70	14
												27	R H	475		500	25		100	625	25.00	15
3	3	28		..							2	13		185		200			9	209	1.50	
	2	18		..							1	57		540		880	25		27	932	25.00	
	3	38		..							4	28	M	181		328	18		41	387	21.85	16
2	4	24		..	2	10	1					22		142		298	10		43	351	13.00	
	1	14	3	..	3	24															1705.15	17
1	12	260	16	..	27	337	8	1	4	6		462	M	3500	15713	12725	1490	1507	365	16087		
1	23	460	25	1	34	365	26	6	4	11		551		2800	48900	14075	982	39	227	15323	1260.00	18
																				7600		19
1	10	115	44	..			17	190				207	R H	2500	4800	7600						20
1	10	220	61	4	27	329	48	6	3	26		470	M	2000	800	7120	840		265	8225	840.00	
2	3	25	1	..	6	45	1				1	33		212		449	10	122	83	664	12.00	1
																					4.50	
														*1622								1
																						2
																						3
																						4
37	202	2637	253	17	205	1908	155	219	16	97		3873	18	31171	71839	77553	5694	2344	2944	88535	6234.23	
36	193	2561	238	8	191	1839	136	47	105	126		3612	16	27591	73400	70893	6336	1268	3441	81938	6255.31	
1	9	76	15	9	14	69	19	172			89	261	2	3580		6660		1076		6597		
															1561		642		497		21.08	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	10	Number of Mission Fields	1
" Congregations in them	18	" Preaching Stations in them	2
" Augmented Charges	10	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	21
" Congregations in them	17	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	37

*Salary paid by Board of Missions.

A. D. MacKINNON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Barney's River	D. A. MacKinnon	Kenzieville, N.S.	Charles Bannerman	R.R. 1, Barney's River N.S.
	Avondale				
	Laggan				
	Marshy Hope				
	Riverside				
2	Blue Mountain	J. W. Britton	Blue Mountain, N.S.	Robert Ross	R.R. 1, McPhersons Mills, N.S.
	Garden of Eden				
3	East River	A. Brown, M.A., B.D. (O.M.)	Sunny Brae, N.S.	D. McDonald	Sunny Brae, N.S.
	Bridgeville				
	Springville				
	St. Paul				
	Sunny Brae				
4	East River, St. Mary's	Vacant		J. Chester Gunn	East River, St. Mary's, N.S.
	Caledonia			G. B. Cruickshanks	Caledonia, N.S.
	Glenelg			John D. Hattie	South Lochaber, N.S.
	Lower Caledonia			Dan Fraser	Lower Caledonia, Guysboro Co., N.S.
5	Gairloch	Vacant		Daniel M. McLeod	Lansdowne Sta., N.S.
	Middle River			Ernest Fraser	R.R.1, Lansdowne, N.S.
	West River Station			William Tupper	West River Sta., N.S.
6	Hopewell	H. Wilson Sieber, B.A., B.D.	Hopewell, N.S.	John M. Dunbar	Hopewell, N.S.
	Eureka			Clifford Fraser	Eureka, N.S.
7	Little Harbor	Vacant		Robert McKenzie	Little Harbor, N.S.
	Pictou Landing				
8	Merigomish	F. G. MacDonald	Merigomish, N.S.	Charles Smith	Ponds, Merigomish, N.S
	French River			Renwick Forbes	Merigomish, N.S.
	New Glasgow:—				
9	First	N. D. Kennedy, M.C., M.A.	New Glasgow, N.S.	Geo. L. Tattrie	New Glasgow, N.S.
10	St. Andrew's	William Ooms, B.A., Th.B.	New Glasgow, N.S.	J. J. MacLeod	New Glasgow, N.S.
11	Westminster	Hugh Munroe, B.A., D.D.	New Glasgow, N.S.	Robert C. Grant	New Glasgow, N.S.
12	Oxford	E. G. B. Foote, B.A.	Oxford, N.S.	D. J. Mitchell	West Pugwash, N.S.
	Pugwash				
	Pictou:—				
13	First	Vacant		Andrew Fraser	Pictou, N.S.
14	St. Andrew's	S. B. Carey, M.A.	Pictou, N.S.	Peter Fraser	Pictou, N.S.
15	River John	T. G. M. Bryan, O.M.	River John, N.S.	E. R. Langille	R.R.2, River John, N.S.
	Brule				
	Cape John			Charles MacKinnon	R.R.4, River John, N.S.
	Middleton				
16	Scotsburn	W. Lloyd MacLellan, B.A., B.D.	Scotsburn, N.S.	A. H. MacKay	Scotsburn, N.S.
	West Branch			Alex. Murray	Meadowville, N.S.
17	Sherbrooke	H. L. Jost, B.Th.	Sherbrooke, N.S.	D. W. Fraser	Stillwater, N.S.
	Goldenville				
	Stillwater				
18	Stellarton	S. J. Macarthur, M.A., B.D.	Stellarton, N.S.	William McLellan	R.R. 2, New Glasgow, N.S.
19	Tatamagouche	Vacant		Alex. Fraser	Tatamagouche, N.S.
	Earltown			John A. Baillie	East Earltown, N.S.
	The Falls				
	Waugh's River				
20	Thorburn	Alex. Mills	Thorburn, N.S.	Robert Bennett	Thorburn, N.S.
	Sutherland's River				
21	Wallace	Charles H. Foote, B.A.	Wallace, N.S.	Rev. Charles H. Foote	Wallace, N.S.
	Stake Road				
22	West River	Vacant		A. E. Graham	R.R. 3, Scotsburn, N.S
	Green Hill				
	Saltsprings			Gordon A. Proudfoot	Saltsprings, N.S.
23	Westville	George S. Mitchell	Westville, N.S.	W. D. Morris	Westville, N.S.

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
5	10	80			7	60	4			4	149	M	1200		785	79		87	951	77.78	1
2	6	70	7		6	40	2			2	164	M	1000		1120	200		100	1420	138.15	2
																				61.10	
																				94.28	3
4																					
	2	19								1	33		120		120	15		15	150	18.35	
	1	26	2		5	51				1	46	M	320		444	62		50	556	45.00	
	2	12	3		3	16				2	37		180		250	9		53	312	8.80	
	2	34			4	24	1				69	M	367		417	34	95	71	617	39.30	
4	4	30			5	30	4		1	1	59	M	500		619	132	54	74	879	133.95	4
	4	17									44		250		112	69		10	191	69.00	
	4	23			3	20				3	50		400		390	100		60	550	100.00	
	4	22								2	44		150		150	30			180	30.00	
	4																	106	1237	12.00	5
3	5	45							1	21	104	M	800		1119	12		48	492	55.00	
	2	20								1	53	M	385		389	55		15	489	3.15	
	2	17	1				1	1		1	65		326		471	3		138	1806	179.58	6
2	6	60	5	1	13	80	3	2	1	32	211	M	1100		1439	188	41	94	1209	62.00	
	3	47			8	55	7	2	1	4	88	M	500		1055	60		152	882	60.75	7
										2	88	M	800		662	68				11.35	
2	4	65	3		6	35		3			56		400		436	11		44	491		
	1	36			7	50	6		1	1	237	M	1200		1900	215	75	125	2315	212.34	8
2	8	80	10		14	130	2	1		3	63		150		250	35	25	35	345	37.66	
	3	25	2	2	5	30	7														
1	12	200	6		15	152	5	4	9	6	488	M	2500	17600	4695	412	100	314	5521	411.77	9
1	16	250	6		19	172	8	13	12	23	436	M	2000	5000	5305	699	746	367	7117	708.46	10
1	12	198	7	3	8	86	8		4	6	406	M	3000	3300	6304	1821	437	874	9436	1846.08	11
1	12	198	7	3	8	86	8			6	406	M	3000		1097	50		75	1222	65.00	12
2	3	47	2	1	12	65	2	2		13	53	R H	600		784	50		54	888	50.00	
	3	53	1		4	33	1			11	52		575								
1	6	123	1	2	10	75	8	1	1	6	282	R H	1800		3552	378	139	422	4491	480.42	13
1	9	215	7		18	91	7	2	1	3	265	M	2000	1181	4595	194	205	145	5139	195.00	14
4	6	109			4	34					191	M	1050		1050	80		114	1244	66.65	15
										1	48		127		127	11		75	213	10.50	
	4	35			4	20															
2	8	108	8		4	30	1	2	1	18	148	M	1400		2179	293		295	2767	289.65	16
															638	60	11	70	779	70.77	
	2	60	4		5	22				2	45		400		1834	80		84	1998	110.97	17
	2	60	4		5	22				2	185	M	1200		539	31			570	.77	
3	4	35		2	5	32	4			1											
		16	5	2	3	36															
	2	14																			
1	16	210	17	3	15	275	15	4		4	458	R H	1817	5850	4983	416	88	170	5657	416.81	18
															1010	182	152	122	1466	182.13	19
4	6	59			7	41	1	3		1	117		1000		219			12	231		
	6	29	5		2	15					41	M	100		317			11	328		
	2	36			3	15					43		300								
2	6	120	21		6	125	12		4	4	302	M	1300		2247	134	14	242	2637	112.70	20
										2	93		1200	150	1403	35	7	55	1500	36.00	21
2	6	75	15	2	4	45	4	5													
3	2	62	3		8	75	3	1	1	2	147	M	600		1040	101	200	180	1521	191.28	22
											73	M	500		675	92		120	887		
	5	23			3	30	4	4	2		69		520		634	80		123	837	74.50	
	4	60	1		1	20		1		6	69										
1	10	200	16		15	200	9			9	370	M	1800	650	3184	270		326	3780	279.08	23

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	No.				
	Mission Fields				
1	Abercrombie			*Clyde Rivers	Abercrombie
2	Cariboo River			*Wm. Grant	Three Brooks
	Sundridge				
3	Lochaber			*James D. Stewart	R.R. 1, North Lochaber, N.S.
4	McLellan's Mountain			John Webster	R.R. 1, Kirkmont, N.S.
	McLellan's Brook				
5	Moser River			*Thos. Powell	Moser River
	Harrigan Cove				
6	Mulgrave			*Blais Hutchison	Mulgrave
7	Pictou Island			*Rev. S. B. Carey, M.A.	Pictou, N.S.
	†Moose Creek				
	Others on Roll				
1		W. McCulloch Thomson, M.A., B.D., D.D.	Durham, N.S.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Foreign Missionary	L. L. Young, B.A., D.D.	Kobe, Japan		
2		Cecil H. Kennedy, B.A., B.D.	Stellarton, N.S.		
3		D. G. Ross	Stellarton, N.S.		
4		H. S. Philpott, B.A.	Tatamagouche, N.S.		
5		P. W. Murray, B.A.	Little Harbor, N.S.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	8	Total on Roll	17
In Augmented Charges	8	Ministers on Appendix	5
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	22

New Glasgow, N.S., April 6, 1938. †Reported by Treasurer. *Not Clerk of Session.

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

1	Bermuda, St. Andrew's, Hamilton.	Victor E. Ford	Box 192, Hamilton, Bermuda.	Robert V. Murdoch	Box 321, Hamilton, Bermuda.
2	Elmsdale	R. Quigley, Ph.D.	Maitland, N.S.	A. F. MacLean	Elmsdale, N.S.
	Nine Mile River				
3	Great Village	Student Supply			
	Portaupique				
	Halifax:—				
4	Knox	F. R. Meredith	108 Albert St.	Robert Thomson	775 Robie St.
5	St. David's	Colin M. Kerr, B.D., B.Sc., Ph.D.	71 Seymour St.	Wm. J. Kane	8 Walnut St.

2. PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	Number
2																					1
2	1	39			4	18					8		197		245				245		2
		17											28		41				41		
															153				153		3
1	1	7	1		1	10				5	17		121		153						
2	3	21	2					1	1	3	45		197	*	297			33	330	15.00	4
	3	6								1	22		197		197	15			212		
2		20									36		38		238				238	5.50	5
		5									8		7		7				7		
1		14								6	22		110		293				293		6
1		42	2		4	42	2				36		314		314				314		7
																				5.26	
																					1
																					1
																					2
																					3
																					4
																					5
64	231	3236	163	18	270	2380	132	51	41	216	6166	26	37146	33731	62324	6861	2389	5560	77134	7073.84	
62	228	3213	195	42	277	2266	219	94	38	157	6238	24	36770	32096	64436	6801	1426	5649	78312	6615.02	
2	3	23				114			3	59		2	376	1635		60	963			458.82	
			32	24	7		87	43			72				2112			89	1178		

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	10	Number of Mission Fields	7
" Congregations in them	14	" Preaching Stations in them	11
" Augmented Charges	13	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	30
" Congregations in them	39	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	64

NORMAN D. KENNEDY, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

3. PRESBYTERY OF HALIFAX AND LUNENBURG

1	5	69	6	5	11	107	10	4		2	148	M	2140	1000	4291	622	202	150	5265	780.92	1
2	4	43	4		8	35	9		3	12	105	M	1000		1348	100	14	100	1562	106.00	2
																					3
2																				15.00	
1	4	40	1		9	85				6	76		1300	600	1415	107	9	86	1618	107.10	4
1	9	250	5	2	16	150	6	17	2	8	484	M	4000	35000	13040	1287	97	440	14864	1286.66	5

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
6	Lunenburg, St. Andrew's	Alexander Allen	Lunenburg, N.S.	J. W. McLachlan	Lunenburg, N.S.
7	Mahone Bay	Student Supply		C. Gordon Lantz	Mahone Bay, N.S.
8	Musquodoboit Harbour	Henry S. Graham	Musquodoboit Harbour, N.S.	Rev. H. S. Graham	Musquodoboit Harbour, N.S.
	Dean				
9	New Dublin	D. W. McDonald, B.A.	Dublin Shore, N.S.	Rev. D. W. McDonald	Dublin Shore, N.S.
	Conquerall				
10	Rose Bay	W. A. Cunningham, B.A., B.D.	Rose Bay, N.S.	Rev. W. A. Cunningham	Rose Bay, N.S.
	East Middle La Have				
11	Springhill, St. David's	Vacant		Simon D. McDonald	Springhill, N.S.
12	Truro, St. James'	Geo. M. Dix, M.A., B.D.	114 Queen St., Truro	James Scott	Truro, N.S.
13	Windsor, St. John's	D. G. Ross	Windsor, N.S.	John D. Currie	Box 269, Windsor, N.S
	Mission Fields				
1	Economy				
	Lower Economy				
2	Kennetcook	Student Supply		Munroe Anthony	Kennetcook, Hants Co. N.S.
	Noel Road				
	East Noel				
3	Parrsboro	Student Supply		James M. Leslie	Diligent River, N.S.
	Diligent River				
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Retired Foreign Missionary	J. B. Cropper, D.D.	c/o Rev. Dr. A. S. Reid, 3485 McTavish St.,		Montreal, Que
2		A. A. J. Hogg			

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	No.
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	6	230	11	..	20	189	10	.....	.....	12	432	M	1800	700	4469	454	20	167	5110	453.73	6
1	3	25	.....	..	4	22	2	.....	.....	4	67	M	122	1000	572	15	.....	38	625	17.10	7
2	3	31	1	..	3	34	3	1	.....	1	74	R H	600	1009	989	77	.....	116	1182	77.32	8
1	3	45	6	..	6	73	3	1	.....	3	155	..	400	.....	545	83	33	73	734	83.12	
2	10	103	.....	..	12	58	7	.....	.....	6	144	M	1000	.....	2030	136	40	122	2322	136.00	9
2	7	124	5	..	19	158	1	.....	.....	2	156	M	1800	.....	3315	67	445	87	3914	66.25	10
																				5.70	
1	4	119	1	..	10	90	.....	.....	.....	1	66	M	1300	8823	2797	142	96	53	3089	147.10	11
1	4	135	3	3	14	86	4	6	1	22	289	M	2000	14500	3578	228	.....	109	4015	239.53	12
1	5	56	.....	..	12	79	3	1	.....	3	130	R H	1200	4000	1718	138	385	101	2342	138.32	13
																					1
2																					
3	6	78	9	..	4	79	.....	.....	.....	.....	86	....	288	.....	300	50	10	30	390	60.00	2
2	2	11	1	..	5	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	156	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	200	27.00	3
																					1
																					2
26	75	1359	53	10	153	1287	58	30	6	82	2412	11	19106	66632	40407	3531	1351	1672	47232	3746.85	
26	78	1391	61	1	146	1151	81	14	12	56	2477	10	18489	70442	38673	3697	2079	1761	47912	3800.76	
..	..	..	..	9	7	136	.....	16	.....	26	.....	1	617	.....	1734	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
..	3	32	8	..	..	.....	23	.....	6	.....	65	..	.....	3810	.....	166	728	89	680	53.91	

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 5
In Augmented Charges 5
In Ordained Mission Fields ....

Others on Roll ....
Total on Roll 10
Ministers on Appendix 2
Grand Total of Ministers 12

Grand Total, 1937 ....
Grand Total, 1936 ....
Increase .....
Decrease .....

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 5
" Congregations in them 6
" Augmented Charges 8
" Congregations in them 13

Number of Mission Fields 3
" Preaching Stations in them 7
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 16
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 26

MUSQUODOBOIT HARBOUR, N.S., MARCH 22, 1938.

HENRY S. GRAHAM, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

3. PRESBYTERY OF HALIFAX AND LUNENBURG—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	No.				
1	Fredericton, St. Andrew's	George E. Ross, B.A.,B.D.,D.D.	706 Brunswick St., Fredericton.	W. M. Clark	470 Charlotte St., Fredericton.
2	Harvey Station, Knox	R. J. Kirkland	Harvey Station, N.B.	Henry Craig	Harvey Station, N.B.
	Acton				
3	Moncton	V. E. Orsborn	70 Fleet St., Moncton	E. Clark	85 Park St., Moncton.
4	Port Elgin			H. C. Grant	Port Elgin, N.B.
5	Sackville	James Middleton	Sackville, N.B.	James Middleton	Sackville, N.B.
	Dorchester				
6	St. Andrew's, Greenock	Samuel Davies, B.D., Ph.D.	St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, N.B.	W. J. Halliday	St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, N.B.
7	St. George			E. S. MacKay	St. George, N.B.
	Bocabec				
	Pennfield				
	Saint John City:—				
8	St. Columba, Fairville	W. M. Townsend, M.A., D.D.	Fairville, N.B.	W. M. Townsend	Fairville, N.B.
9	St. John and St. Stephen	Charles J. St.Clair Jeans	23 Orange St.	William MacKay	100 Spring St
10	St. Matthew's	J. A. Morison,M.A.,Ph.D.,D.D.	35 Havelock St. W.	A. W. Fraser	173 Broad St
11	Stanley	Vacant		John Boulton	Stanley, N.B.
	Williamsburg			James Gullison	Williamsburg, N.B.
	Tay Falls				
12	St. Stephen	G. Lloyd Fulford, B.A	St. Stephen, N.B.	P. Pringle	St. Stephen, N.B.
13	Woodstock, St. Paul	J. W. Paul	Woodstock, N.B.	J. T. Montgomery	Woodstock, N.B.
	Mission Fields				
1	Kirkland			Hugh Graham	Kirkland, Debec, N.B.
2	New Maryland				
	Hanwell				
3	Prince William				
	Lower Southampton			*F. S. Ingles	Shediac
4	Shediac			*Miss Margaret Carter	Buctouche
	Buctouche				
	Mill Creek				
	MacDougall's				
5	Sussex, Chalmers			C. B. Spear	Sussex
	Hampton				
	Hammond River				
6	Titusville			Richard Hosford	Barnesville
	Barnesville				
	Salt Springs				
	Upperton			Frank C. MacKenzie	Nerepis
7	Westfield				
	Nerepis				
8	Debec				
	Oak Mountain				
	Appendix to Roll				
1		J. G. A. Colquhoun, B.A.	Moncton, N.B.		
2		W. L. Newton, B.A., B.D.	36 Highview Crescent	Toronto, Ont.	
3		F. W. Tingley	Yarmouth, Mass., U.S.A.		
4		G. E. Knight	100 Main St., Saint John, N.B.		
5		Alexander Craise, M.A., D.D.	Sackville, N.B.		
6		A. D. Hamilton, B.A., B.D.	St. Stephen, N.B.		
7		Frank Baird, M.A., D.D.	Chipman, N.B.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
- In S.S. Charges 5
- In Augmented Charges 4
- In Ordained Mission Fields 2

Others on Roll ....
Total on Roll 10
Ministers on Appendix 7
Grand Total of Ministers 17

St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, N.B.

*Not Elders.

4. PRESBYTERY OF SAINT JOHN

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
									Removed from Roll				$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	7	140	12	14	93	5			15	227		2975	38500	6143	212	107	117	6659	148.55	1
2	6	75	3	6	50	3			3	204	M	1200		1900	40		70	2010	24.55	2
1	5	102	4	7	8	64	13	13	4	15	116	R H	1800	8500	3236	55		92	3383	55.00	3
1	3	75	14		7	60	8	3		8	136	M	1000	900	1230	70		42	1342	65.56	4
1	3	75	14						3		38	R H	312		504	33		33	570	33.05	5
2	3	17	1								26		260		285	21	10		316	10.35	
	1	19	3	2	5	25	2	1		1	103	M	1900		2500	170	21	145	2836	172.30	6
1	3	60	4		8	65	3														
											39	M	300		350	12		30	392	2.00	7
3	2	20			3	32					12								80	17.00	
	2	9											60		60						
	2	9									16										
1	4	35	1		9	52				2	53	M	1000		1127	300		53	1480	300.00	8
1	14	250	17	2	20	240	8	14	6	9	423	R H	3300	2500	9456	941	422	488	11307	840.18	9
1	7	80	8		16	120	3	2	4	18	150		1800		3447	112	30		3589	115.79	10
1	3	34	3		3	45	1				118	M	766		705	50		30	985	55.02	11
3	3	23	2		5	14	2				46		115	600	125	5			240	5.08	
	3	6	2		3	42	4				28		40		40	5			45		
											120	R H	1400	10000	2287	107		70	3239		12
1	3	85	6	2	12	72	12														
1	6	49		1	10	50	3	2		5	116	M	1400		1989	76		52	3245	76.35	13
											50		90		140	8		8	155	24.25	1
1		10	2		1	20	1			1	24		30		55	10		10	85		2
2	2	20	5		2	15	1				15		20		50				50		3
	1	8	4		2	12					28		200								
2	1	9			3	14	1														
	2	5	2								17		162		200	30		20	252	30.00	4
4			2		4	12	1				10	M	45						40	2.00	
		12	3		2	10	1				14		35						250	40	
			2				2						125						700	30.00	
					4		1				20		500		520	40		20		1.25	5
3	3																				
		25	4		5	20					60		20	3000							
			2			5							30						85		6
					4	15														5.00	
4											28										
	1	15	4								4		50								
			2								5								355		7
			2								25		15		315	20			25		
2	1	14	4		4	15	3								25				15		8
	1	7	1																		
2		2	1																		
																					1
																					2
																					3
																					4
																					5
																					6
																					7
39	86	1215	120	14	160	1162	78	35	17	77	2271	12	20950	64000	36689	2317	590	1280	43770	2013.28	
38	88	1146	81	10	126	1073	72	47	25	67	2252	12	20796	67595	36832	1997	530	1541	42002	1772.02	
1		69	39	4	34	89	6			10	19		154			320	60		1768	241.26	
	2							12	8					3595	143			261			

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 5
" Congregations in them 5
" Augmented Charges 8
" Congregations in them 14

Number of Mission Fields 8
" Preaching Stations in them 20
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 21
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 39

SAMUEL DAVIES, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Bass River	Vacant		Andrew Ferguson	Harcourt, N.B.
	West Branch				
2	Bathurst	Vacant		A. N. Desbrisay	Bathurst, N.B.
	Jacquet River			Robert Miller	Nash Creek, N.B.
	New Mills			Alonzo Miller	Sea Side, N.B.
3	Campbellton, Knox	Lambert Olgers, B.A.	Campbellton, N.B.	W. F. Yorston	Campbellton, N.B.
4	Chatham	M. E. Genge, D.D.	Chatham, N.B.	Wm. Johnston	Newcastle, N.B.
	Newcastle			J. Beasely	Newcastle, N.B.
5	Dalhousie, St. John's	C. E. Hayward, B.A.	Dalhousie, N.B.	Wm. MacNiel	Dalhousie, N.B.
6	Harcourt, St. Andrew's	Vacant		Andrew Ferguson	Harcourt, N.B.
	Beersville			Keith Cail	Cails Mills, Kent Co.
	Cails Mills				
	Clairville			G. Lyons	Clairville, N.B.
7	Millerton	F. G. Purnell	Millerton, N.B.	G. R. Vanderbuk	Millerton, N.B.
	Derby				
	McKinleyville				
8	Sunny Corner	P. M. Sampson	Boom Road, N.B.	D. A. Whitney	Curventon, N.B.
	Sillikers				
	Whitneyville				
	Mission Fields				
1	Black River			J. A. Watling	BlackRiverBridge,N.B
	Kouchibouguac				
	Rexton				
	Richibucto				
2	New Carlisle			‡Dewey Smallett	New Carlisle, P.Q.
3	Tabusintac			J. W. Loggie	Wishart's Point, N.B.
	New Jersey				
	Oak Point				
	†Presbytery of Miramichi				
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 2
In Augmented Charges 2
In Ordained Mission Fields 1

Others on Roll .....
Total on Roll 5
Ministers on Appendix .....
Grand Total of Ministers 5

CAMPBELLTON, N.B., APRIL 5, 1938. †Reported by Treasurer. ‡Treasurer.

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

1	Alberton	Vacant		Fred Clark	R.R., Alberton
2	Belfast	Wallace S. Wadland, B.A.	Belfast	Thos. W. Morrison	Beaton's Mills
3	Brookfield	A. O. Thomson, B.A., D.D.	Brookfield	Alexander Stewart	Hunter River
	Glasgow Road				
	Hartsville				
	Hunter River				
4	Caledonia	A. S. McLean	Caledonia	Malcolm J. Stewart	Caledonia
5	Canoe Cove	Vacant		Alex. M. Mackenzie	Long Creek
	*Churchill			Angus MacPhee	New Haven
	Clyde River			Dr. A. J. Murchison	Clyde River
	Nine Mile Creek			Norman MacDonald	Nine Mile Creek

5. PRESBYTERY OF MIRAMICHI

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate Removed	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	3	27		12	3	18	17			1	79	M	400		275				275	39.45	1
	3	45	1						1	1	75		500		330				330		
3	4	18	1		3	14			2	2	21		600		782	40	74	104	1000	50.00	2
	2	20			4	15				2	25		225		225	15		42	282	15.00	
	4	26	5		4	16	3			2	44	M	500		744	50		53	847	50.00	
1	5	86	2		10	128	1	1		19	206		2100	20000	5335	278		116	5729	277.81	3
2	4	60	1		10	58			6	6	114	M	800	1000	1108	44		52	1204	47.08	4
	2	44			5	40					53		800	800	1208	99		33	1340	99.71	
1	5	65	6		5	45				1	143	M	1200	14500	2550	60	50	91	2751	107.20	5
4	2	11			2	20				1	15	M	200		200				200		6
	2	17	1		2	20					33		350		400				400		
	1	6	4		2	20					9		50		50				50		
	2	12		4	4	34	7				38		135		135				135		
3	3	19	1		5	36			1	1	26	M	309		325	10	9	5	349	10.00	7
	3	16	2		6	36					28		338	1400	357	13	3	32	405	13.00	
	3	12	1		3	12				1	32		165		165	25		10	200	25.00	
3	4	46	6				4			4	70	R H	333	3700	740	20		36	796	22.03	8
	1	11									21		149		155				155		
	1	11									13		300		300	10	3	12	325	13.00	
											34		176	500	176	10	23	21	230	10.00	1
4	2	20	1		5	20					26		100		100				100		
*	1	22									10					14		38	52	14.00	
		5									6					6		20	416	6.00	2
		4									39	M	294		390			16	158	9.00	3
1		22	4		5	40	5	4			57		86		142				105	10.40	
3	2	27	4								23		105		105			12	190	21.00	
*	2	14									26		75		178						
	1	13	1																	19.60	
27	62	679	41	16	78	572	37	5	10	40	1266	8	10290	41900	16475	694	162	693	18024	859.28	
27	57	689	53	1	91	623	58	13	2	18	1234	7	8957	41600	15147	1022	383	576	17127	769.42	
	5			15					8	22	32	1	1333	300	1328			117	897	89.86	
		10	12		13	51	21	8								328	221				

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 2
" Congregations in them 3
" Augmented Charges 6
" Congregations in them 16

Number of Mission Fields 3
" Preaching Stations in them 8
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 11
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations . 27

*Last year's figures.

LAMBERT OLGERS, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

6. PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

					2	15				2	55	M	588	354	588	46		113	747	46.44	1
1	3	20			12	120					229	M	1600		1946	131	257	301	2635	91.93	2
1	8	122			5	42					28	M	167		195	45		20	427	45.00	3
4	2	37									20		35		36				71		
		20									27		156		156	25	23	15	219	23.00	
		56			5	30	1	1			16		62		71	5		5	81		
		21			5	30				82	173	M	454	223	737	73	90	43	943	74.45	4
1	7	95	7	1	2	16	8			3	66										5
4	6	40	3		5	48					53		87		87				87	87.50	
	3	24									40		228		295	97		40	432		
	3	34			6	39					24										
	1	18	14	1	3	25	2														

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Charlottetown:—				
6	St. James	R. Moorhead-Legate, E.D., D.D.	239 Pownal St	D. A. MacKinnon	3 Kent St
7	Zion	G. Carlyle Webster	80 Euston St	Donald McKinnon	Box 356
	Mermaid, Calvin			William MacDonald	Mermaid
8	Clifton (New London)	W. Lyall Detlor, M.A.	New London	Angus Green	R.R., Emerald
	Geddie Memorial				
	Granville				
	Long River				
9	Kensington	W. O. Rhoad, B.A., Th.B	Kensington	Thomas L. Ramsay	Kensington
	Freetown			‡George Jardine	Freetown
10	Malpeque, Keir Memorial	Vacant		Colin Mountain	R.R., Princetown
11	Marshfield	John C. MacNeil, B.A., B.D.	Mount Stewart	Earl Foster	York
	Harrington			Earl McInnis	Winsloe
	Highfield			Stewart McKinnon	Highfield
	Mount Stewart			Geddie Douglas	Mount Stewart
12	Montague	T. Owen Hughes, B.A.	Montague	Russell MacLaren	New Gerth
	Cardigan and Lorne Valley			Archie McPherson	Cardigan
	Dundas				
13	Murray Harbor North	Vacant		Thomas A. Millar	R.R. 4, Montague
	Peter's Road and				
	Cambridge				
14	Summerside	William Verwolf, B.A.	Summerside	Donald Baker	Summerside
15	Tryon	Vacant		A. Waddell	Albany
	Borden				
	Bradalbane			†Marie Graham	Bradalbane
16	Tyne Valley	Edwin J. White, B.A.	Tyne Valley	Rev. Edwin J. White	Tyne Valley
	Freeland				
	Lot 14				
	Victoria West				
17	Wood Islands	R. Hensley Stavert, M.A., B.D.	Wood Islands	D. M. McLeod	Wood Islands
	Murray Harbor South			James H. Brooks	Murray Harbor South
	Mission Fields				
1	Coleman	Student		J. J. England	R.R., O'Leary
2	O'Leary	Student		J. J. England	R.R., O'Leary
3	West Point	Student		J. J. England	R.R., O'Leary
	*Churchill served by minis	ter at Canoe Cove, but not a co	ngregation of The Pres	byterian Church in Ca	nada.
	Others on Roll				
1		J. Keir Fraser, D.D.	Alberton, P.E.I.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		P. Watson Currie	617 Church St., Toron	to, Ont.	
2		Fred. Williamson	21 Bowood Ave., Toro	nto, Ont.	
3		George Cameron	14 Grenville St., Toron	to, Ont.	
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 9
In Augmented Charges 3
In Ordained Mission Fields ....

Others on Roll 1
Total on Roll 13
Ministers on Appendix 3
Grand Total of Ministers 16

KENSINGTON, P.E.I., APRIL 11, 1938.

†Not an Elder. ‡Not Clerk of Session

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	11	135	10	1	12	115	10	3	2	4	296	M	2500	12400	6680	540	954	440	8060	547.00	6
2	15	235	18		36	356	31	17	3	6	634	M	2500	7750	8490	474	177	744	9885	764.53	7
	1	16	1		4	27	10	1		1	46				268				268		
4	3	35								2	27	M	480		480	50		160	690		8
		21			3	27				1	13		107		128			77	205	20.00	
	2	17									18		266		332	34	35	48	449	33.72	
	2	30			4	24				1	62		230		272	33		40	345	41.75	
2	4	68	1		8	82	3	1	4	3	131	M	1100	800	1808	47	25	214	2094	46.85	9
	1	20			4	19	7			1	48		213	310	489	10		70	569	9.65	
1	4	60			5	41	14	1		3	100		1000		1400	40	28	66	1534	40.12	10
	4	60																			11
*4	3	22	4					5			48	M	500		906	1		45	952		
	4	20			4	25				1	27		300		496	43			539	37.20	
	2	9								10	15		200		240			25	265		
	5	20			4	35					65		500		871	14		8	893	1.00	
3	7	71	1	2	4	28	9	2	3	2	143	M	900		1300	45		46	1391	46.45	12
	5	42	7	2	9	76	3		1	3	140	M	700	570	842	37		39	918	36.50	
			5								20		200		283	47		41	371	47.00	
2	3	54	14		7	70	2			4	93	M	780		1041	62	21	107	1231	53.00	13
	2	36	3		12	64	3	1		2	59		640		894	34	107	22	1057	29.57	
																				6.43	
1	7	139			7	80				2	237	M	1899	200	3670	500	49	231	4450	503.00	14
*3	3	41	5		2	17	2				75	M	600	1800	800				800		15
		17			1	15					22		240	1650	240	6		31	277	3.00	
4	1	43	5	1	6	36	3		1	1	47	M	478		1000	40		50	1090	53.48	16
	1	22	6	2	4	25	4			1	34		189		361	14			375	14.45	
	2	9	1		6	20	3			1	19		257		342	40		14	396	30.13	
	2	32	3							1	263		263		442	15			457	25.98	
	2	32	3							2	98	M	900		1210	30		50	1290	31.85	17
2	7	76	3		6	33					40		300	1100	494	13		36	543	17.00	
	3	34			4	42	3														
																					*
																					1
1																					2
1																			185		3
*1	2	10			3	25				1	17		90	185							
																					1
																					1
																					2
																					3
43	135	1821	111	10	200	1647	117	32	14	139	3346	16	21709	27342	39890	2591	1766	3141	47221	2807.98	
44	136	1777	122	14	200	1618	118	27	16	100	3343	16	21780	26865	41190	2983	1828	2821	49629	3035.37	
		44				29		5		39	3			477				320			
							1		2				71		1300	392	62		2408	227.39	
1	1		11	4																	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 11
" Congregations in them 23
" Augmented Charges 6
" Congregations in them 17

Number of Mission Fields 3
" Preaching Stations in them 3
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 20
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 43

*Last year's figures.

WM. O. RHOAD, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Danville and Asbestos	Vacant		W. G. Clark	Asbestos
2	Hampden	Malcolm Gillies	Milan	A. D. Nicholson	Milan
	Milan				
	Marsboro			R. E. Morrison	Marsboro
3	Inverness and Adderly	Wm. Reynolds	Inverness	Lewis Bolduc	Inverness
4	Kinnear's Mills and Reid's	Hugh K. Gilmour (Catechist)	Lemesurier	Stewart Warcup	Robertsonville
5	Lake Megantic	Student		M. D. McKenzie	Lake Megantic
6	Leggatt's Point	D. L. Griffiths	Leggatt's Point	Rev. D. L. Griffiths	Leggatt's Point
7	Levis	Donald S. Traill, M.A	Levis	L. B. Cathcart	Breakeyville
	Breakeyville				
	Charney				
8	Melbourne	J. Lloyd Hughes	Melbourne	W. E. McIver	Richmond
	Richmond				
	Flodden				
9	Marlow and Jersey Mills	Vacant		H. L. Cathcart	St. George de Beauce.
10	Quebec, St. Andrew's	A. M. Gordon, D.D.	106 St. Anne St., Quebec.	John A. Young	66 Casot St., Quebec
11	Scotstown and Lingwick	A. D. MacLellan	Scotstown	Donald L. MacRitchie	Scotstown
12	Sherbrooke, St. Andrew's	J. R. Graham, M.A., B.D.	68 Portland Ave., Sherbrooke.	W. J. Humphrey	185 London St., Sherbrooke.
13	Valcartier and Stoneham	Student		Walter W. Knox	R.R. 2, Loretteville
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges ... 3
In Augmented Charges ... 4
In Ordained Mission Fields ... 1

Others on Roll ...
Total on Roll ... 8
Ministers on Appendix ...
Grand Total of Ministers ... 8

5840 Cote St. Antoine Road, Montreal, April 8, 1938.

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

1	Athelstan			James Brims	Athelstan, Que.
	Elgin			Robert Rutherford	R.R., Huntingdon, Que
2	Beauharnois	Alexander Nimmo	Beauharnois	I. M. Anderson	Beauharnois, Que.
3	Georgetown			P. D. McArthur	Howick, Que.
4	Huntingdon	J. B. Maclean, B.A., B.D., D.D.	Huntingdon, Que.	John A. Hunter	Huntingdon, Que.
	Dewittville				
5	Lachine, St. Andrew's	T. DeCourcy Rayner	121-34th Ave	Gordon Phillips	518 St. Joseph St.
6	Margaret Rodger Memorial, Lachute	Henry Cousens, B.A., B.D.	Lachute, Que.	John Rice	Lachute, Que.
	Brownsburg				
7	Montreal West	H. R. Pickup, B.A.	332 Ballantyne Ave. N	George Stevenson	73 Percival Ave

7. PRESBYTERY OF QUEBEC

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	5	41	3	..	4	18	..	..	..	2	79	M	1100	2350	1502	55	..	30	1587	56.00	1
3	8	63	1	..	4	39	1	..	..	3	104	M	1200	..	1985	160	108	54	2307	91.55	2
																				72.75	
2	5	31	1	1	6	63	11	9	1	12	58	M	700	..	850	103	63	154	1170	112.39	3
2	5	30	2	..	5	20	..	1	..	..	62	M	600	..	711	103	76	100	990	92.63 10.25	4
1	3	17	..	..	2	12	4	1	..	2	19	M	643	3900	1065	54	16	..	1135	36.25	5
1	3	36	2	..	2	22	8	2	..	6	73	M	700	..	1193	70	..	..	1263	70.05	6
3	4	36	1	..	1	15	..	..	..	..	81	M	1800	..	2767	76	69	..	2912	72.25	7
3	4	55	2	..	3	28	..	..	..	2	88	M	1200	..	1600	150	5	135	1890	152.00	8
																			65		9
2	2	7	..	..	1	6	..	..	..	2	20	M									
1	6	120	5	..	10	73	..	1	3	4	229	M	2500	..	5083	1030	188	416	6717	1032.97	10
2	5	88	..	..	7	60	..	1	..	6	106	M	1700	3000	2218	100	..	120	2438	110.00	11
1	16	385	10	..	23	262	21	8	4	77	559	M	3000	3700	5892	599	..	313	6804	732.28	12
3	3	16	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31	M	135	..	168	25	..	15	208	25.00	13
26	69	925	29	1	68	618	45	23	10	121	1509	13	15278	12950	25034	2525	525	1337	29486	2666.37	
26	73	932	31	1	68	535	44	22	7	64	1573	13	14949	12900	25456	2503	813	1380	30152	2510.67	
..	..	..	..	..	..	83	1	1	3	57	..	..	329	50	..	22	..	..	..	155.70	
..	4	7	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	64	..	..	..	422	..	288	43	666	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges ... 3
" Congregations in them ... 5
" Augmented Charges ... 5
" Congregations in them ... 12

Number of Mission Fields ... 5
" Preaching Stations in them ... 9
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields ... 13
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations ... 26

ROBERT STEWART, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

8. PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL

2	4	55	2	..	9	128	3	1	..	..	116	M	820	..	1208	317	11	380	1916	317.00	1
..	4	36	3	1	9	24	3	..	..	2	98	..	717	..	1124	128	5	70	1327	130.69	
1	2	43	2	..	6	70	..	2	2	2	59	M	1800	..	2443	726	459	415	4043	725.54	2
1	9	95	5	..	9	118	12	2	2	3	256	M	1800	..	3456	541	174	275	4446	507.42	3
2	12	165	3	..	10	110	4	4	4	13	348	M	1800	..	4645	767	536	364	6312	714.25	4
*1	5	107	4	..	19	107	14	3	1	57	234	..	2400	1200	3200	300	64	250	3814	306.00	5
2	13	100	14	..	6	35	25	4	..	2	276	M	2000	4700	4415	234	..	339	4988	192.30	6
																				41.70	
1	7	97	5	..	10	70	8	17	6	2	285	..	3000	15200	6094	554	235	205	7088	554.36	7

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Montreal:—				
8	Cote des Neiges			Grant Steven	5624 Gatineau Ave.
9	Ephraim Scott	W. J. McIvor, M.A., B.D., S.T.D.	4982 Coolbrooke Ave.	O. L. Brewer	4963 Earnscliffe Ave.
10	Fairmount-Taylor			C. M. Gobbett	1923 Des Carrieres Rd.
11	First	Malcolm A. Campbell, D.D.	3530 St. Famille St.	D. C. Logan	822 Pratt Ave.
12	Kensington	I. A. Montgomery, B.A., D.D.	3590 Vendome Ave.	J. H. Simpson	3435 Montclair Ave.
13	Knox-Crescent	David Scott, M.A., B.D.	10 Redpath Place	W. R. Henry	6356-24th Ave.
14	Kydd Memorial	Mayson H. Sewell, Th.B., B.D.	3890 Dandurand Ave.	Thos. Goodman	6929 Champagneur
15	Livingstone	Joseph McNeill	5550 Park Ave.	G. P. Coghill	1433 Theodore Ave.
16	Maisonneuve	George Rowland, B.A., B.D.	3522 Sherbrooke St. E.	John Gordon	4065 Gage Rd.
17	St. Andrew and St. Paul	George H. Donald, D.D.	1523 Crescent St.	A.R.M.MacLean, D.Sc	2324 Cuvillier St.
18	St. Cuthbert's	H. S. Philpott, B.A.	2341 Cuvillier St.	John Nesbit	2362 Rogel St.
19	St. Matthew's	A. Gordon Rintoul, B.A.	586 Bourgeois St.	James Halliday	
	Outremont:—				
20	MacVicar Memorial	C. Ritchie Bell, B.A., B.D.	357 De L'Epee Ave.	J. D. Henderson	6108 Jeanne Mance
21	Outremont	Wm. McLean	551 Querbes Ave.	Robert Smith	125 Kensington Rd., Mount Royal.
22	Ormstown	Walter Ross	Ormstown, Que.	Alan M. Hooker	Ormstown, Que.
	Rockburn			W. G. Gibson	Franklin Centre, Que.
23	Riverfield	D. E. Flint, B.A., S.T.B.	Riverfield, Que.	C. W. Orr	Riverfield, Que.
	Howick			W. George Rodger	St. Andrew's East
24	St. Andrew's East	R. L. Ballantyne, D.D. (Supply)	St. Andrew's East	Johnston Smith	100 Pine Ave.
25	St. Lambert, St. Andrew's	H. S. Lee, B.A.	63 Hickson Ave.	Wm. Hagen	26 St. Charles St.
26	Valleyfield	H. L. Simpson	14 Galt St.	H. P. Howells	475 Willibrod Ave.
27	Verdun, First	A. M. Hill, M.A., Ph.D., D.D.	299 Beatty Ave.		
	Westmount:—				
28	Stanley	F. S. Morley, Ph.D.	Westmount, Que.	E. J. Scott	664 Belmont Ave.
29	Melville	W. Orr Mulligan, M.A., B.D., D.D.	351 Melville Ave.	N. Macnaughton	26 Burton Ave.
	Ordained Mission Fields				
30	Campbell Memorial	J. M. Kik, B.A.	2340 Belgrave Ave.	E. J. Skinner	970 Girouard Ave.
31	Hemmingford	Robert U. MacLean, B.A.	Hemmingford, Que.	F. F. Clayland	Barrington, Que.
	Covey Hill			Wm. Perry	Covey Hill, Que.
32	Italian Mission	R. De Pierro	3460 Laval Ave.	**M. A. Caluori	7428 Drolet St.
	Mission Fields				
1	Beechridge			**John Dunn	St. Reml, Que.
2	Crystal Falls			J. A. MacMillan	Lost River, Que.
	Lake View				
	Lost River			D. A. Moody	R.R., Huntingdon, Que
3	Dundee			**W. J. Pollock	Mille Isles, Que.
4	Mille Isles				
	Cote St. Gabriel				
5	Tyndale House	W. H. Brown, B.A., M.A.	12 Winchester Ave.		
6	Welsh Church	H. A. Pritchard (Supply)	2071 Union Ave.	M. T. Bryan	3744 Evelyn Ave.
7	Riverview				
	Cote St. Paul				
8	Gordon Mission				
9	French Mission, North End	J. A. Smith (Supply)	5036 Marquette St.		

8. PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

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1	5	52	3	..	5	38	3	5	1	1	100	..	1050	..	1717	52	..	..	1769	52.41	8
1	14	168	4	2	22	192	9	24	2	13	292	R H	1400	1102	5906	192	64	132	6294	192.35	9
1	11	250	16	3	23	128	4	..	88	6	421	R H	1300	30816	3151	319	..	51	3521	197.50	10
1	18	400	26	..	20	273	16	18	5	12	619	M	4000	7250	9122	1625	3550	701	14998	1705.18	11
1	20	200	22	5	38	326	18	51	12	7	632	..	4000	23000	14532	1051	..	344	15927	1107.69	12
1	18	430	24	..	29	219	13	19	12	16	792	..	8000	..	19024	4462	3466	3348	30300	4462.00	13
1	8	145	13	..	18	191	17	6	26	2	315	..	1286	12650	2731	203	5	68	3007	165.72	14
1	6	150	13	3	18	150	17	12	7	3	342	..	1600	8500	3438	175	..	43	3656	156.50	15
1	12	340	28	3	50	546	38	5	11	9	631	..	2500	7800	8304	525	..	336	9165	524.00	16
1	34	724	43	..	15	200	23	35	12	27	1261	..	9833	135000	44000	8000	3061	2996	58057	8105.00	17
1	4	80	5	..	12	100	4	..	8	..	133	R H	1200	..	1780	95	..	40	1915	60.00	18
1	26	450	29	1	58	500	28	16	7	16	948	M	2400	43500	11167	507	243	298	12215	522.25	19
1	20	480	25	14	56	502	69	35	22	106	905	..	3600	17000	12943	2162	546	605	16256	2086.26	20
1	4	85	..	1	18	130	4	5	5	4	168	..	2800	6000	6399	334	..	205	6938	370.83	21
2	11	124	5	..	6	61	5	8	5	5	252	R H	900	3900	2038	196	..	129	2363	311.70	22
..	4	32	..	..	5	56	4	..	..	1	51	..	600	700	856	25	116	87	1084	26.95	..
2	6	58	1	..	6	20	3	..	..	4	156	M	1600	..	2523	159	103	200	2985	159.35	23
1	8	25	..	..	5	38	..	..	..	5	100	M	1500	..	2161	86	5	100	2352	86.00	24
1	8	100	4	..	12	125	4	18	9	2	283	..	3000	6000	4319	215	149	235	4918	219.32	25
1	6	64	3	1	7	47	8	9	..	17	120	R H	1200	..	1329	70	50	..	1449	73.00	26
1	16	626	37	7	78	1003	54	41	37	53	1175	..	3000	16150	8869	700	631	260	10460	704.25	27
1	21	400	8	..	12	100	5	8	34	40	655	..	4380	29500	13037	2646	242	1137	17062	2380.00	28
*1	9	220	7	..	14	68	13	10	23	8	468	M	3000	16000	8916	2734	900	1112	13662	1699.48	29
1	5	90	5	..	21	219	3	6	15	1	209	..	1059	1630	1437	99	25	94	1655	137.50	30
2	5	66	3	..	5	40	..	..	..	..	15	R H	800	..	1184	75	70	106	1435	74.42	31
..	1	21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	245	..	253	4	4	32	293	..	..
3	4	90	9	..	12	165	15	..	..	3	225	R H	615	..	4150	78	10	..	4238	68.04	32
											23	..	95	..	393	18	11	..	422	17.64	1
1	1	17	1	..	1	14	1	..	..	..	34	M	347	..	600	..	..	..	600	14.75	2
*3	4	50	..	..	2	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	47	..	400	..	206	7	..	..	213	2.20	3
1	5	20	..	..	3	7	1	..	2	3	20	..	100	25	113	..	..	..	113	..	4
2	2	7	1	..	..	6	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	40	80	42.00	5
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	46	..	660	..	832	50	..	..	882	..	6
1	..	..	2	..	13	169	14	10	..	..	31	..	..	..	92	13	30	..	135	..	7
1	4	21	..	..	15	137	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
*2	..	80	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	104	..	..	..	104	..	8
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	..	..	..	180	76	85	..	350	..	9
*1	..	16	..	..	3	33	..	..	..	3	114	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1	3	95	4	..	8	91	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Others on Roll				
1	Principal, Presbyterian College	F. Scott Mackenzie, D.Th., D.D	3491 McTavish St., M	ontreal	
2	Professor, Presbyterian College	W. Harvey-Jellie, M.A., B.D., D.D., D.Litt.	4458 Western Ave., M	ontreal	
3	Retired	W. J. Fowler, B.A., M.A., B.D.	4823 Western Ave., M	ontreal	
4	Retired	James Steven	3232 Lacombe Ave., M	ontreal	
5	Synodical Missionary	Allan S. Reid, B.A., B.D., D.D.	3485 McTavish St., M	ontreal	
6	Retired	George Whillans, B.A., D.D.	378 Elm Ave., Westm	ount	
7	Professor, Presbyterian College	D. J. Fraser, M.A., D.D., LL.D.	Apt. 26, 1610 Sherbroo	ke St. W., Montreal	
8		James Adams, B.A., B.Th.	227 Elm Ave., Westm	ount	
9	Professor, Presbyterian College	Frank W. Beare, B.A.	c/o 3485 McTavish St.	Montreal	
10	Retired	W. D. Reid, M.A., D.D.	619 Victoria Ave., Wes	tmount	
11	Retired	J. D. Anderson, D.D.	Beauharnois, Que		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		W. E. Atchison, B.D.	c/o Central Y.M.C.A.,	Toronto	
2		R. L. Ballantyne, D.D.	St. Andrew's East		
3		W. H. Brown, M.A.	12 Winchester Ave.,	Montreal	
4		S. J. Dayon	6401 Poupart St.	Montreal	
5		Henry DuBois, B.A., B.D.	c/o Montreal West Hi	gh School, Montreal West	
6		Geo. Extence, B.A.	Chesterville, Ont.		
7		R. J. Millar	St. Andrew's East, Qu	e	
8		Geo. W. Mingie, B.A., B.D.	582 Bourgeois St., Mo	ntreal	
9		Allister Murray	41 Kingston Ave., She	rbrooke, Que	
10		W. Oliver Nugent, B.A.	c/o 3415 Redpath St.,	Montreal	
11		DeCourcy Hamilton Rayner	New Amsterdam, Briti	sh Guiana	
12		G. W. Thom	Almonte, Ont		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	11
In S.S. Charges	19	Total on Roll	37
In Augmented Charges	4	Ministers on Appendix	12
In Ordained Mission Fields	3	Grand Total of Ministers	49

Montreal, Que., March 31, 1938.

**Representative Elder.

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

1 Avonmore	Donald MacMillan, B.A.	Avonmore	George E. Canham	Newington
2 Cornwall, St. John	G. S. Lloyd, M.A., B.D.	Cornwall	J. G. Harkness	Cornwall
3 Finch	W. E. Davies, B.A.	Finch	Arthur MacMillan	Finch
Crysler				
4 Kenyon	D. N. MacMillan, M.A., B.D., Ph.D.	Dunvegan	D. A. Gray	Dunvegan
5 Kirk Hill	Vacant		Jas. L. MacMillan	Kirk Hill
6 Lancaster	S. Mc. Kerr, B.A., B.D.	Lancaster	J. Dougal McDonald	Lancaster
7 Martintown	James G. Berry, M.A., B.D., D.D.	Martintown	Rev. James G. Berry	Martintown
Williamstown				

8. PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No.	No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937 $ c	No.
														†4550								1
														†3600								2
																						3
																						4
														‡2700								5
																						6
														†3600								7
																						8
														†3600								9
																						10
																						11
																						12
																						1
																						2
																						3
																						4
																						5
																						6
																						7
																						8
																						9
																						10
																						11
																						12
53	379	6874	379	41	688	6571	490	374	358	449	13352	18	82837	387623	224400	30560	14890	14957	284807	29113.55		
53	388	6646	425	20	735	6003	607	377	251	756	13350	17	81830	376528	231332	30641	12626	14227	290446	29111.23		
		228		21		568			107		2	1	1007	11095			2264	730		2.32		
	9		46		47		117	3		307					6932	81			5639			

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	23	Number of Mission Fields	12
" Congregations in them	28	" Preaching Stations in them	19
" Augmented Charges	6	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	41
" Congregations in them	6	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	53

*Last year's figures. †Salaries. ‡Salary paid by Board of Missions.

ALLAN S. REID, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

9. PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY

3	7	98	4	..	7	72	5	2	6	13	184	M	1800	.....	2217	185	33	148	2583	185.23	1
1	14	325	31	..	24	190	10	10	10	112	491	M	2500	.....	4835	1492	241	1370	8979	1504.51	2
2	8	131	14	1	11	90	13	..	..	31	209	M	1800	.....	2270	350	15	307	2882	350.00	3
..	5	25	..	..	8	35	..	2	..	1	66	..	.....	.....	555	39	66	100	759	30.22	
1	12	125	3	1	27	106	13	2	3	4	314	M	1800	.....	3365	384	211	448	4408	384.19	4
*1	6	150	3	..	8	65	3	4	..	..	256	M	1800	1100	3262	267	140	422	4092	86.53	5
1	7	92	3	1	14	85	16	5	..	5	237	M	1800	2200	3231	177	55	379	3887	137.36	6
2	6	50	1	..	4	40	10	..	..	11	115	M	1300	.....	1734	114	.....	127	2539	113.80	7
..	3	30	3	..	2	12	..	..	..	5	55	..	.....	.....	667	.....	.....	.....	800	42.05	

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	No.				
8	Maxville	R. W. Ellis	Maxville	John A. Welch	Maxville
9	Moose Creek	Vacant		D. J. MacLean	R.R. 1, Maxville
10	St. Elmo	W. B. MacCallum	Maxville	Rev. W. B. MacCallum	Maxville
11	Vankleek Hill	E. E. Preston, B.D.	Vankleek Hill	A. D. MacRae	Vankleek Hill
12	Woodlands	Wm. Fitzsimons	Farran's Point	Ivan Eamon	Wales
	Farran's Point				
	Aultsville			John M. Loucks	Aultsville
	Mission Fields				
1	Cote St. George				
2	Gravel Hill				
	Monklands	(Merged in Avonmore)			
	Appendix to Roll				
1		James Hagen	Meath Park, Sask		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	7	Total on Roll	10
In Augmented Charges	3	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	11

Maxville, Ont., March 21, 1938.

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

1	Aylmer	Harold G. Lowry, M.A.	22 Front St., Hull, P.Q.	Hugh Kilpatrick — 82 Cambridge St., Ottawa, Ont.
	Hull, Cushman			George Steele — 242½ St. Joseph Blvd. Hull, P.Q.
2	Bristol	Norman F. Sharkey, B.A.	Bristol, P.Q.	John A. Armstrong — Bristol, P.Q.
	Stark's			
3	Fort Coulonge	H. F. Dann, B.A.	Fort Coulonge, P.Q.	E. F. Russell — Fort Coulonge, P.Q.
4	Hawkesbury, St. Paul's	Arthur J. Back	Hawkesbury, Ont.	Dr. A. P. Rutherford. — Hawkesbury, Ont.
5	Kars	James M. Young	Manotick, Ont.	Allan Lindsay — Kars, Ont.
	Manotick			Thomas Gamble — Manotick Station, Ont.
6	Kinburn	G. F. Partridge	Kinburn, Ont.	R. H. Laughlin — Kinburn, Ont.
	Pakenham			Harold Blair — Pakenham, Ont.
	Torbolton			Andrew Ross — Woodlawn, Ont.
	Ottawa:—			
7	Erskine	Robert Good, B.Litt.	345 Bronson Ave.	H. E. Hughston — 224 Fourth Ave.
8	Knox	R. Johnston, M.A., D.D.	197 Carling Ave.	F. A. McDiarmid — 174 Fourth Ave.
9	St. Andrew's	Vacant		Francis F. Burpee — 80 Carling Ave.
10	St. Giles	J. Logan-Vencta, M.A.	146 Carling Ave.	F. E. L. Coombs — 279 Second Ave.
11	Richmond	A. Newton Reid, M.A.	Richmond, Ont.	S. B. Gordon — R.R.1, Richmond, Ont.
	Stittsville			Rev. A. N. Reid — Richmond, Ont.
12	Vernon	C. L. Mitchell, B.A., B.D.	Vernon, Ont.	Willis McRostie — R.R. 3, Metcalfe, Ont.
13	Westboro	Wm. Patterson, B.A., D.D.	Westboro, Ont.	George L. Hill — Westboro, Ont.
	Gloucester			Alexander Patterson — Hurdman's Bridge, Ont

9. PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937 $ c	Number
1	6	80	3	2	11	50	5	1	1	3	162	M	1600		3060	148	6	220	3433	126.58	8
1	7	37	2	..	4	30	..	..	1	..	76	M	903		1143	..	20	94	1525	6.05	9
1	5	35	9	..	3	30	..	1	2	1	73	M	900		1460	80	38	147	1625	129.10	10
1	6	130	18	..	10	185	8	3	3	9	411	M	2250		4475	263	619	231	5588	263.24	11
3	4	30	4	..	2	12	8	2	1	1	74	M	400		635	22	..	60	695	27.45	12
*	3	36	8	..	5	37	10	..	..	..	48	..	240		500	..	..	..	515	2.00	
..	6	24	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	70	..	480		593	16	..	45	654	18.25	
1	4	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	54	..	380		534	2	..	139	676	9.00	1
*1	4	28	..	..	2	15	..	..	..	..	65	..	438		675	..	..	..	675	..	2
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	1
19	113	1454	106	5	142	1054	105	32	27	199	2960	12	20391	3300	35211	3539	1444	4237	46315	3415.56	
19	114	1412	91	3	120	904	81	32	10	205	3065	13	19636	3950	33276	3414	2277	4346	43761	3417.04	
..	..	42	15	2	22	150	24	..	17	..	..	..	755	..	1935	125	..	..	2554	..	
..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	105	1	..	650	..	..	833	109	..	1.48	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	8	Number of Mission Fields	2
" Congregations in them	11	" Preaching Stations in them	1
" Augmented Charges	4	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	14
" Congregations in them	7	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	19

*Last year's figures.

WM. B. MacCALLUM, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

10. PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA

2	7	41	3	..	5	55	....	2	....	2	91	M	500	.....	1774	51	25	67	1917	51.00	1
..	6	68	10	..	8	80	10	8	....	4	150	M	1300	.....	3400	168	230	.....	3798	27.80	
2	6	27	....	..	5	50	2	....	....	6	66	M	825	.....	1236	171	.....	143	1550	168.30	2
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	
1	4	25	3	..	2	10	....	....	....	3	65	M	1600	.....	2227	24	7	124	2382	26.95	3
1	5	61	1	..	6	56	8	2	....	4	113	M	1200	.....	1605	68	.....	75	1748	137.00	4
2	4	26	1	..	7	31	....	....	....	2	52	....	400	.....	500	14	.....	27	541	18.20	5
..	5	59	3	..	6	15	....	....	....	4	134	M	900	4000	1525	10	.....	55	1590	12.13	
3	4	27	3	..	7	30	....	1	4	3	76	M	498	.....	865	67	.....	56	988	65.60	6
*	3	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	22	....	250	.....	300	15	.....	76	400	.....	
..	3	28	2	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	30	....	500	.....	700	22	.....	100	822	24.00	
1	19	528	39	6	43	485	34	28	3	7	900	M	2500	6000	13244	1006	421	503	15174	1000.00	7
1	21	430	13	..	35	235	11	21	14	32	837	M	5000	.....	14075	3300	235	558	18168	3698.57	8
1	23	470	11	..	42	485	10	8	13	22	854	R H	4918	.....	27012	10250	4554	1317	43133	10300.27	9
1	16	285	14	..	35	212	20	12	4	6	504	....	3000	25750	7591	657	269	278	8795	673.06	10
2	3	40	5	..	10	52	4	1	1	....	73	M	800	.....	1520	85	.....	20	1625	85.09	11
..	4	25	2	..	6	62	1	2	1	....	26	....	400	.....	540	26	6	.....	572	26.00	
1	4	70	4	..	7	100	7	....	2	5	146	M	1300	.....	2400	140	15	89	2644	106.61	12
2	4	92	26	4	18	106	5	4	3	1	175	....	960	3000	1439	93	23	60	1614	73.27	13
..	4	22	3	..	3	15	2	2	....	2	62	....	400	.....	647	56	.....	51	754	56.78	

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Mission Fields				
1	Buckingham	Donald Nicholson	Buckingham, P.Q.	Ernest Wiseman	Buckingham, P.Q.
	Thurso				
	†Ottawa, St. Stephen's, S.S.				
	†Presbytery of Ottawa, Y.P.S.				
	Others on Roll				
1	Clerk of Presbytery	Hugh Cameron, B.A., D.D.	164 Holmwood Ave.,	Ottawa, Ont.	
	Appendix to Roll				
1		J. M. Kellock, M.A., B.D.	London, Ont.		

Grand Total, 1937
Grand Total, 1936
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 5
In Augmented Charges 6
In Ordained Mission Fields 1

Others on Roll 1
Total on Roll 13
Ministers on Appendix 1
Grand Total of Ministers 14

164 Holmwood Ave., Ottawa, Ont., April 6, 1938.

†Reported by Treasurer.

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

1	Almonte, St. John's	A. J. Fowlie, B.A.	Almonte	Lloyd Watson — Almonte
2	Arnprior, St. Andrew's	Thomas McAfee	Arnprior	Hugh Cochrane, M.D — Arnprior
2	Carleton Place, St. Andrew's	James Foote, B.A	Carleton Place	Geo. W. Allan — Carleton Place
4	Cobden, St. Andrew's	George W. Conners, Ph.D.	Cobden	D. A. MacDonald — Cobden
	Wolftown, St. John's			Rev. G. W. Conners — Cobden
	Scotland			James Miller — Glasgow Station
5	Lockwinnoch	T. S. Hutton	Glasgow Station	John A. Stewart — Goshen
	Stewartville			John McMillan — R.R. 1, Braeside
	Dewars			Walter Geddes — Dalhousie Lake
6	McDonald's Corners, Knox	Kenneth McCaskill, M.A., B.D.	McDonald's Corners	
	Elphin			
	Snow Road			D. W. Blakely — Pembroke
7	Pembroke, First Church	Vacant		Rev. H. A. Berlis — Perth
8	Perth, St. Andrew's	H. A. Berlis	Perth	James C. Fraser — Renfrew
9	Renfrew	Louis H. Fowler, M.A., B.D.	Renfrew	John Wilson — Forester's Falls
10	Ross, St. Andrew's	H. T. Kalem, B.A	507 McLeod St. Ottawa	Harry Barker — Smith's Falls
11	Smith's Falls, Westminster	James MacBeath Miller, M.A., B.D.	Smith's Falls	
	Mission Fields			
1	Alice			John A. Cochrane — R.R. 5, Pembroke
	Petawawa			*Mrs. M. Selkirk — Petawawa
	Chalk River			*Mrs. W. Kennedy — Chalk River
2	Beachburg			John J. McLean — Beachburg

10. PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937 $ c	Number
2	3	15	2	..			1				25	....	600	.....	700	25	25	.....	750	20.00	1
..	2	10	....	..			.....	.....	.....	1	15	....	150	.....	175	20	.....	30	225	20.00	
.....	.....	.....	.....	..			.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.23	
.....	.....	.....	.....	..			.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20.00	
.....	.....	.....	.....	..			.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
.....	.....	.....	.....	..			.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
22	150	2359	145	10	245	2079	115	91	45	104	4416	12	28001	38750	83475	16268	5810	3629	109190	16614.86	
22	148	2366	131	11	241	1904	102	75	40	151	4381	12	29508	50469	78406	16649	3283	3436	103382	16499.55	
..	2	.....	14	..	4	175	13	16	5	.....	35	....	.....	.....	5069	.....	2527	193	5808	115.31	
.....	.....	7	....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47	.....	....	1507	11719	.....	381	.....	.....	.....	.....	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 6
" Congregations in them 7
" Augmented Charges 7
" Congregations in them 13

Number of Mission Fields 1
" Preaching Stations in them 2
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 14
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 22

*Last year's figures.

HUGH CAMERON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

11. PRESBYTERY OF LANARK AND RENFREW

1	7	90	3	..	8	70	9	3	5	6	158	M	1115	7700	2129	175	30	86	2420	182.33	1
1	6	145	2	..	11	104	13	1	....	10	216	R H	1200	10100	2306	60	.....	106	2472	66.61	2
1	6	133	17	..	13	130	13	4	1	3	331	M	2000	5200	4321	413	114	362	5210	513.19	3
3	5	46	8	..	5	30	1	2	.....	.....	89	M	550	.....	800	83	5	60	948	84.50	4
..	5	23	.....	..	6	34	3	.....	2	1	56	....	360	.....	385	50	6	21	462	50.00	
..	4	17	2	..	.....	.....	.....	2	1	1	48	....	270	.....	301	36	4	90	431	38.00	
3	4	32	13	15	4	58	20	2	.....	2	84	M	406	.....	557	15	29	99	700	12.10	5
..	3	21	12	4	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	1	38	....	205	.....	353	.....	.....	45	398	.....	
..	2	26	2	1	4	49	2	.....	2	.....	56	....	360	.....	475	5	8	31	519	2.25	
3	3	66	7	..	7	53	6	2	.....	3	157	M	675	.....	1004	207	52	159	1422	207.66	6
..	4	41	3	..	3	28	2	.....	.....	2	86	....	505	.....	684	73	24	88	869	72.50	
..	4	23	3	1	3	29	1	1	.....	.....	82	....	300	.....	409	47	4	58	518	45.00	
..	4	23	3	1	3	29	1	1	.....	.....	82	....	300	.....	409	47	4	58	518	45.00	
1	7	88	13	..	7	70	8	.....	.....	.....	154	M	1800	19688	3841	137	.....	104	4082	113.40	7
1	7	255	6	2	12	110	11	14	3	6	478	R H	2400	.....	7250	800	535	378	8963	815.10	8
1	12	194	14	..	15	155	5	8	9	5	470	R H	2200	15850	6373	425	228	290	7316	413.15	9
1	4	37	.....	..	9	73	.....	.....	.....	1	67	M	1200	.....	1681	30	55	162	1928	33.12	10
1	23	440	18	1	24	274	32	17	8	13	770	M	2250	30500	9904	1076	.....	393	11373	1103.78	11
3	3	15	.....	..	2	6	.....	.....	.....	1	56	M	174	.....	303	59	.....	76	438	69.00	1
.....	.....	6	.....	..	3	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	22	....	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27	.....	
..	1	10	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	....	82	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	82	.....	
1	1	10	1	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	22	....	182	1000	263	10	.....	21	294	10.15	

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
3	Braeside			*Rev. Thomas McAfee	Arnprior
	White Lake, St. Andrew's			*Margaret Barrie	White Lake
4	Douglas, Knox			Norman McLeod	Douglas
	Scotch Bush, St. Andrew's			*Victoria Sharp	Hyndford
	Micksburg			George Mick	Micksburg
	Lake Dore				
	Appendix to Roll				
1		John Hardwick	449 Quebec Ave., Toronto, Ont.		
2		Bunyan McLeod, D.D.	Perth, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 6
In Augmented Charges 4
In Ordained Mission Fields ....
Others on Roll ....
Total on Roll 10
Ministers on Appendix 2
Grand Total of Ministers 12

*Not Elders.

CARLETON PLACE, ONT., MARCH 28, 1938.

11. PRESBYTERY OF LANARK AND RENFREW—*Continued*

STATISTICS AND FINANCES FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
																					3
2	2	28			4	25					58	M	42	1000	179				179		
	2	15			1	14					11		42		179				179		
	2	15					2		1		24	M	78	178	115				115		4
4	1	10					2				10		101		125	15	10		150	15.00	
		7		1							22		170		170		8	12	190		
	2	10	4	25							20										
	2	6			2	14															
																					1
																					2
27	120	1794	128	50	143	1343	142	56	32	56	3602	14	18694	91216	44107	3716	1112	2641	51685	3846.84	
27	112	1743	80	9	153	1198	102	47	47	110	3475	13	17952	102503	44190	3386	606	2597	51056	3486.50	
	8	51	48	41		145	40	9			127	1	742			330	506	44	629	360.34	
					10				15	54				11287	83						

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 7
" Congregations in them 9
" Augmented Charges 4
" Congregations in them 8

Number of Mission Fields 4
" Preaching Stations in them 10
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 15
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations . 27

JAMES FOOTE, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

12. PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE

1	Brockville, First Church	D. MacOdrum, B.A., D.D.	12 Church St., Brockville.	Dr. W. H. Woodrow	1 Granite St., Brockville.	1	16	301	11	..	24	200	10	8	9	19	542	M	2500	.....	6696	2146	.....	299	9141	1967.82	1
					John Beatty											4	113		780		1228	86		116	1430	86.00	2
2	Caintown				Floyd D. Stringer	2	3	40	....	1	7	33	6	1	....	2	112	M	780	3286	1688	180	.....	95	1963	100.00	
	Lansdowne				Elmer Hunter		6	58	5	..	7	57	....	....	....	2	145	M	1275	.....	2214	172	40	177	2603	188.45	3
3	Cardinal	Alex. R. Gibson	Cardinal	Rev. Alex. R. Gibson.	Cardinal	2	8	110	3	..	11	85	5	4	....	1	23	....	325	.....	393	14	15	114	536	14.00	
	Mainsville						2	19	....	..	8	43	....	....	2	2	75	M	600	.....	1068	50	4	107	1229	45.75	4
4	Chesterville	Vacant			Lyle Thom	2	6	60	8	..	6	75	1	6	2	1	63	....	400	.....	557	53	.....	154	764	53.25	
	Dunbar				Ralph J. Thompson		3	34	2	..	4	48	5	2	2	2	116	M	1331	.....	1713	158	.....	154	2025	160.00	5
5	Iroquois	J. A. Koffend	Iroquois, Ont		Iroquois	2	3	41	3	..	3	40	....	....	....	2	33	....	335	.....	372	2	.....	113	487	2.00	
	Dixon's Corners						1	19	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	
6	Kemptville	W. J. Hurlow	Kemptville	D. M. Bayne	Kemptville	2	6	95	12	..	6	50	5	2	....	5	224	M	1500	.....	2814	144	.....	219	3177	149.30	6
	Oxford Mills						....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	
7	Morewood	Vacant			Alfred Morrow		6	59	3	1	9	50	3	5	3	....	131	M	1000	.....	1708	138	.....	363	2209	94.46	7
	Russell					*2	6	59	3	1	9	50	3	5	3	....	131	M	1000	.....	1708	138	.....	363	2209	94.46	
8	Morrisburg	Jenkins Burkholder	Morrisburg	Rev. J. Burkholder	Morrisburg						5	25	13	....	....	1	84	....	335	1000	550	....	.....	5	555	....	
9	Prescott	M. W. Heslip	Prescott	R. T. Alexander	Prescott		4	27	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	134	M	1000	.....	1909	97	.....	227	2233	93.94	8
10	South Mountain	T. Miller Revie	South Mountain	Rev. T. Miller Revie	South Mountain		7	50	5	..	6	46	3	1	2	2	204	M	1800	.....	4233	50	19	148	4450	52.00	9
	Mountain Station					1	4	94	....	..	8	57	....	....	4	2	49	M	800	50	663	22	53	59	797	25.25	10
11	Spencerville	H. P. Maitland	Spencerville	A. W. Keillor	Spencerville	2	3	20	1	..	3	15	....	3	....	....	36	....	300	.....	767	8	.....	33	808	....	
	East Oxford			W. J. Johnston	Oxford Station	*	3	16	....	....	4	36	....	....	....	1	126	M	850	.....	1928	91	32	75	2126	10.00	11
	Ventnor			John Gray	Ventnor	3	5	61	4	1	9	46	18	1	....	1	75	....	375	.....	620	32	.....	76	728	....	
12	Westport	Wm. Merrilees	Westport	Rev. Wm. Merrilees	Westport		4	34	....	..	3	18	6	....	....	2	43	....	375	.....	553	18	9	68	648	11.21	
	Newboro					..	5	26	2	..	11	60	9	2	....	2	74	M	900	.....	1271	21	.....	....	1292	21.25	12
13	Winchester	W. D. Turner, B.A.	Winchester	R. J. Empey	Winchester	2	2	32	....	..	6	18	....	....	....	2	9	....	100	.....	116	3	.....	....	119	12.45	
	Winchester Springs			I. Preston McIntosh	Winchester Springs		1	7	....	....	2	15	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	
	Mission Fields					..	5	59	2	..	7	48	....	....	3	14	134	M	1500	.....	2443	296	30	251	3020	259.25	13
						..	3	20	5	..	7	62	11	....	2	2	52	....	400	.....	533	4	8	89	634	3.50	
1	Stone's Corners																										
	Fairfield																										1
						2	....	13	.....	..	4	23	....	1	1	....	25	.....	273	.....	274	.....	.....	.....	274	.....	

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Others on Roll				
1		George McGregor, B.D.	Prescott, Ont.		
2		N. A. MacLeod, Ph.D., D.D.	181 King St. E., Brockville, Ont.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		R. C. Archer, B.A.	West Lorne, Ont.		
2		John Taylor, M.A., Ph.D.	9 Rosemont Ave., Toronto, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	2
In S.S. Charges	7	Total on Roll	11
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	2
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	13

Westport, Ont., April 29, 1938.

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

1	Amherst Island, St. Paul's	R. K. Earls, B.A.	R.R. 2, Stella, Amherst Island.	Rev. R. K. Earls	R.R. 2, Stella, Amherst Island.
2	Belleville, St. Andrew's	W. J. Walker, B.A., B.D.	271 George St.	W. J. Campbell	84 Bridge St. W., Belleville.
3	Camden East	J. H. Douglas (O.M.)	Deseronto		
	Deseronto, Church of the Redeemer.			J. Fairbairn	Deseronto
	Ernestown				
4	Foxboro, St. Andrew's	J. W. MacDonald	Roslin	C. H. Ketcheson	R.R. 2, Belleville
	Fuller, Knox			Harry Redcliffe	Thomasburg
	Roslin, St. Andrew's			Donald Leslie	R.R. 1, Lotta
5	Gananoque, St Andrew's	C. E. Kidd, B.A., B.D.	Gananoque	Rev. C. E. Kidd	Gananoque
6	Glenvale	P. Jamieson, B.A.	Wilton	Rev. P. Jamieson	Wilton
	Sunbury, St. Andrew's				
	Wilton				
7	Kingston, St. Andrew's	J. W. Stephen, D.D.	Kingston	William Gill	193 University Ave.
8	Madoc, St. Peter's	W. A. Hunter, B.A., B.D.	Madoc	George N. Wright	Madoc
9	Picton, St. Andrew's	M.E.R.Boudreau, B.D., S.T.D.	Picton, Ont.	C. S. McGillivray	Picton
10	Pittsburg, St. John's	A. E. Cameron, B.D.	R.R. 1, Kingston	Neil McDonald	R.R. 1, Kingston
	Sand Hill			Rev. A. E. Cameron	R.R. 1, Kingston
11	Seymour, St. Andrew's	J. A. McMillan	R.R. 2, Campbellford	Alex. Milne	R.R. 3, Campbellford
12	Stirling, St. Andrew's	Vacant		T. J. McGee	Stirling
	West Huntington			A. E. Horton	West Huntington
13	Trenton, St. Andrew's	C. E. Dougan, Ph.D.	Trenton	E. J. Wilson	Trenton

12. PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937 $ c	Number
																					1
																					2
																					1
																					2
26	106	1295	66	3	160	1150	95	37	30	67	2622	13	19834	4336	36311	3785	210	2942	43248	3349.88	
26	106	1161	71	2	163	1067	55	20	16	57	2438	13	18163	1320	37926	3049	256	3405	44636	2814.99	
		134		1		83	40	17	14	10	184		1671	3016		736			1388	534.89	
			5		3										1615		46	463			

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	11	Number of Mission Fields	2
" Congregations in them	20	" Preaching Stations in them	4
" Augmented Charges	1	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	14
" Congregations in them	2	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	26

*Last year's figures.

WM. MERRILEES, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

13. PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON

1	5	40			5	30				4	120	M	1000		1086	52		35	1173	52.00	1
1	19	200	17	1	23	230	25	64	1	10	596	M	2600	6000	8141	1465	117	374	10097	1465.00	2
										2	20		200		200	7		29	246	11.00	3
3	1	11	3		8	38					38	M	900			5		34	939	4.70	
	3	36			4	25															
		3								7	5		624		720	116		62	898	116.40	4
											39				473	31			504	31.35	
3	2	24	2		7	55			1	7	28		283		321	20		20	361	14.80	
	3	24	4							6	33	M	194					217	7235	249.12	5
	3	14								7	266	M	1800	3500	5661	250	25	5	92		6
1	12	120	8		10	73	10	6			18		35		87			25	834	1.00	
3	2	8									30		499		808	1		30	314		
	3	20			4	28				1	18	M	119		284			482	13462	2187.50	7
	2	24			3	26															
1	15	220	19		22	168	18	30	14	40	757	M	3000	10598	9764	2177	748	164	2926	227.65	8
1	5	70	5		11	90	4	1		5	166	M	1600		2521	225	25	157	4372	101.02	9
1	6	116	5		14	113	5	3	3	24	217	M	1700	1750	4066	124	23	157	4372	101.02	9
1	2	27	3		6	51	7	7	1		56	M	487		597	56	11	56	720	44.00	10
2	3	30	2		8	34	2	1		6	68		634		832	99	15	123	1069	101.95	
	7	45	4		15	75					126	M	1200		2052	55	242	67	2416	71.65	11
1	8	70	1	1	9	62	2	1	1	11	160	M	1100	2150	1603	56		47	1706	44.00	12
2	4	27	2	2	7	40					45		700		1289	9		63	1361	29.30	
1	8	101	10	2	17	123	3	11			204	R H	1694	7482	3388	115	37	41	3581	121.12	13

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Mission Fields				
1	Tweed	Under care of Madoc		G. D. C. Morton	Tweed
	†Presbytery of Kingston				
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 10
In Augmented Charges 2
In Ordained Mission Fields 1

Others on Roll ....
Total on Roll 13
Ministers on Appendix ....
Grand Total of Ministers 13

Trenton, Ont., March 2, 1938.

†Reported by Treasurer.

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

1	Ballyduff	W. H. V. Walker	Janetville	J. J. Clark	Bethany
	Janetville			Hilden Johnston	Janetville
	Nestleton			John Dickey	Nestleton
2	Bowmanville	W. G. Blake (S.S.)	Bowmanville	J. Ross Stutt, Phm.B.	Bowmanville
	Newtonville			Joseph Sexsmith	R.R. 3, Port Hope
3	Brighton	S. D. Jamieson, B.A. (Supply).	Brighton	G. Findlay Clark	Brighton
4	Campbellford	B. Simpson Black, B.A., B.D.	Campbellford	W. T. H. Dunk	Campbellford
5	Centreville	H. R. Williams, B.A.	Millbrook	Rev. D. A. McKenzie, B.A.	South Monaghan
	Millbrook			Charles Gardiner	Millbrook
6	Cobourg	J. B. Rhodes, M.A.	Cobourg	A. W. Skinner	Cobourg
7	Colborne	C. G. Graham, B.A.	Colborne	Ronald McLean	Colborne
	Lakeport			Rev. C. G. Graham	Colborne
	Grafton			Pheonix Rixon	Vernonville
8	Hastings	D. K. Perrie, B.A., B.D.	Hastings	John E. Taylor	Hastings
	Havelock			Dr. A. S. Thompson, F.R.C.S.	Havelock
	Norwood			Harry Godin	Norwood
9	Keene	A. J. Preston, B.A., B.Th.	Keene	John Renwick	Keene
	Westwood			Archie Shearer	Westwood
	Warsaw			John Rose	Warsaw
10	Lakefield	J. M. Young	Lakefield	J. M. Simpson, B.A.	Lakefield
	Lakevale			Joseph Tully	R.R. 2, Peterborough
	Omemee			David Dick	R.R. 2, Omemee
11	Peterborough, St. Paul's	Alfred T. Barr, B.A., B.D., Ph.D	540 Water St	Richard Lees, M.A.	514 Gilmour St
12	Port Hope, St. Paul's	J. W. Foote, B.A., B.D.	Port Hope	James Thompson	Port Hope
13	Warkworth, St. Andrew's	Gordon R. Duncan, B.D.	Warkworth	Robert Walker	Warkworth
	Mission Fields				
1	Hall's Bridge			Thomas S. Wood	Hall's Bridge
	Lakehurst				
	Rockcroft				
	Others on Roll				
1		Hugh Brown	Havelock		
2		H. R. Campbell, Ph.D.	Bowmanville		

13. PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937 $ c	Number
1	3	18	2	..	3	18	4	2	3	....	40	M	416	.....	1060	60	.....	11	1131	156.40	1
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.86	
22	116	1248	87	6	176	1279	80	126	24	130	3050	14	20785	31480	44953	4923	1243	2042	55437	5040.82	
22	112	1222	67	4	174	1231	106	63	35	170	2960	13	21305	32693	45464	4501	1843	2284	53200	4456.25	
..	4	26	20	2	2	48	....	63	....	....	90	1	.....	.....	.....	422	.....	.....	2237	584.57	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26	..	11	40	.....	.....	520	1213	511	.....	600	242	.....	.....	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 10
" Congregations in them 14
" Augmented Charges 3
" Congregations in them 7

Number of Mission Fields 1
" Preaching Stations in them 1
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 14
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 22

CHAS. E. DOUGAN, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

14. PRESBYTERY OF PETERBOROUGH

3	4	37	3	..	7	44	2	....	5	2	61	....	600	.....	655	4	.....	.....	659	11.50	1
..	2	30	1	..	6	30	2	....	.....	2	40	M	600	.....	648	10	.....	.....	658	10.35	
..	2	30	2	..	6	35	.....	4	1	5	68	....	600	.....	805	81	.....	.....	886	82.27	
2	4	60	1	1	10	60	4	4	3	2	86	M	667	6200	1870	135	15	165	2185	135.00	2
..	3	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	24	....	335	.....	460	15	.....	63	478	15.45	
1	5	35	7	..	7	51	.....	3	1	....	37	....	780	.....	1550	.....	.....	75	1625	.....	3
1	14	165	3	..	19	135	18	9	27	9	296	M	1800	.....	4195	265	259	211	4930	273.47	4
2	5	70	3	..	10	46	.....	2	2	2	183	....	1009	.....	1710	200	.....	203	2113	203.57	5
..	4	50	4	..	12	72	7	1	3	4	127	M	900	.....	1474	57	10	156	1697	64.65	
1	13	175	11	1	20	214	19	14	2	8	392	R H	2000	6000	41350	71	.....	279	41700	70.89	6
3	3	60	5	1	.....	.....	2	....	2	2	110	M	1100	.....	2191	42	.....	116	2349	44.66	7
..	3	20	.....	.....	6	40	.....	.....	.....	1	59	....	300	.....	380	6	.....	.....	386	9.52	
..	3	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26	....	110	.....	150	.....	.....	59	209	.....	
3	5	64	.....	.....	6	54	.....	1	2	4	126	M	850	.....	1572	67	.....	90	1729	70.57	8
..	5	48	3	..	5	38	7	....	1	4	118	....	500	.....	1157	45	.....	61	1263	45.00	
..	4	75	.....	.....	5	40	.....	.....	.....	11	160	....	700	.....	1569	68	.....	216	1853	78.36	
..	4	75	.....	.....	5	40	.....	.....	.....	11	160	....	700	.....	1569	68	.....	216	1853	78.36	
3	5	28	4	..	6	40	.....	.....	1	3	52	M	672	.....	768	12	.....	263	1043	14.55	9
..	6	30	4	3	7	25	.....	.....	1	2	83	....	608	700	972	158	7	172	1309	158.54	
..	4	15	1	..	8	102	.....	.....	.....	3	43	....	320	.....	493	25	.....	57	575	25.00	
..	4	15	1	..	8	102	.....	.....	.....	.....	54	....	662	2050	941	23	.....	43	1007	35.55	10
3	3	30	1	..	7	38	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	....	400	.....	440	.....	.....	80	520	.....	
..	3	13	1	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	....	.....	.....	228	.....	.....	40	268	.....	
..	2	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1	19	515	28	1	40	359	36	50	17	41	1032	M	3600	6000	12931	3278	190	1795	18194	3212.44	11
1	12	121	13	..	24	235	13	1	..	13	266	M	1800	.....	7656	655	.....	260	8571	659.10	12
1	5	56	2	..	11	63	3	....	9	3	110	M	1800	.....	2700	247	15	229	3191	247.95	13
3	1	9	1	..	9	60	3	....	.....	1	27	....	338	.....	356	.....	.....	16	372	16.00	1
..	2	10	.....	.....	5	54	3	1	.....	.....	28	....	266	.....	323	7	.....	30	360	.....	
..	....	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	....	18	.....	.....	45	.....	.....	45	6.50	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
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SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Foreign Missionary	W. G. Davis, B.A.	Taonan, Manchuria, via Japan		
2		S. D. Jamieson, B.A.	Brighton		
3		J. A. Sutherland, M.A.	185 Worthington St.E.	North Bay	
4		D. A. McKenzie, B.A.	South Monaghan		
5		W. G. Blake	Bowmanville		
		J. Boyle	"Penmarvian", Paris,	Ont.	
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 9
In Augmented Charges 2
In Ordained Mission Fields ....

Others on Roll 2
Total on Roll 13
Ministers on Appendix 5
Grand Total of Ministers 18

Warkworth, Ont., March 14, 1938.

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

No.					
1	Beaverton	Graham M. Jamieson, B.A.	Beaverton	W. R. MacKay	Beaverton
	Gamebridge			Peter Gilchrist	Brechin
2	Bobcaygeon, Knox	Wm. McRoberts, B.A., M.Th.	Bobcaygeon	W. C. Moore	Bobcaygeon
3	Cannington	Vacant		S. J. Kennedy	Cannington
4	Fenelon Falls	Richard Russell, B.A., M.Th.	Fenelon Falls	Rev. R. Russell	Fenelon Falls
5	Kirkfield	J. R. Dickenson, M.A., M.Th.	Kirkfield	Alex. McRae	Kirkfield
	Bolsover			H. L. McPherson	Argyle
	Eldon Station			Lawrence MacFadyen	Lorneville
6	Leaskdale, St. Paul's	J. C. Robinson	Leaskdale	Elmer Mustard	R.R. 2, Uxbridge
	Zephyr			John Lawrie	R.R. 2, Uxbridge
7	Lindsay, St. Andrew's	J. C. Grier, B.A.	43 Victoria Ave. N., Lindsay.	G. H. Wilson	R.R 3, Lindsay
8	Port Perry, St. John's	Vacant		Wm. Short	Port Perry
	Ashburn, Burns			Walter A. Kerr	Myrtle Station
	Utica, Bredalbane				
9	Sonya, St. Andrew's	John Kennedy	Sonya	Ernest Ferguson	Cresswell
	Cresswell, St. John's			Hugh Grant	Cresswell
	Wick			James J. Leask	Blackwater
10	Uxbridge, Chalmers	P. Thornton Meek, B.A.	90 Toronto St.	T. C. Leask	Uxbridge
	Quaker Hill, St. Andrew's			W. J. Kennedy	R.R., Uxbridge
11	Woodville, Knox	Ewart W.B.McKay,B.A.,B.Th.	Woodville	John MacPherson	Woodville
	Eldon, St. Andrew's			John Sutherland	Argyle
	Ordained Mission				
1	Glenarm, Knox	T. Clifford Hay, B.A., Th.B.	Glenarm	D. J. MacMillan	R.R. 1, Lorneville
	Appendix to Roll				
)		Robert Simpson	Brooklin, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 7
In Augmented Charges 2
In Ordained Mission Fields 1

Others on Roll ....
Total on Roll 10
Ministers on Appendix 1
Grand Total of Ministers 11

Brooklin, Ont., March 23, 1938.

14. PRESBYTERY OF PETERBOROUGH—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937 $ c	Number
																					1
																					2
																					3
																					4
																					5
28	141	1805	98	7	236	1835	119	90	77	124	3665	11	23335	20950	89484	5516	496	4679	100175	5490.89	
28	143	1817	99	13	249	1849	108	83	66	138	3648	13	23139	23215	50326	8432	889	4435	64535	6097.25	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	7	11	..	17	..	196	..	39158	..	..	244	35640	..	
..	2	12	1	6	13	14	..	..	..	14	..	2	..	2265	..	2916	393	..	..	606.36	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 9
" Congregations in them 16
" Augmented Charges 4
" Congregations in them 9

Number of Mission Fields 1
" Preaching Stations in them 3
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 14
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 28

GORDON R. DUNCAN, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

15. PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY

2	11	100	1	..	9	90	3	1	1	3	168	M	1200	8200	3793	203	5	75	4076	189.32	1
..	4	50	..	..	7	36	..	..	..	3	63	M	600	..	1101	109	13	73	1296	108.94	
1	6	50	10	3	8	68	1	2	6	12	94	M	1237	..	1929	220	..	221	2370	220.00	2
1	6	48	3	..	5	44	..	..	..	10	123	M	853	..	1789	101	..	106	1996	108.79	3
1	3	75	2	..	5	49	..	..	1	2	147	M	1400	..	1899	115	61	189	2263	115.31	4
3	4	60	4	..	4	20	1	..	..	2	82	M	575	..	941	3	45	35	1176	5.02	5
..	5	60	1	1	3	27	1	..	..	3	125	..	575	..	897	16	51	107	1070	22.27	
..	4	55	9	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	116	..	450	..	602	..	..	57	668	..	
2	6	55	3	..	8	58	3	..	4	6	108	M	900	..	1094	118	20	96	1328	138.08	6
..	3	19	..	..	4	15	..	..	4	..	32	..	240	..	257	13	..	29	299	6.20	
1	12	270	16	2	39	316	16	21	16	44	520	M	2025	..	5595	548	40	486	6669	495.98	7
3	2	35	..	2	7	30	6	..	5	31	82	M	1096	..	1811	40	..	75	1926	44.58	8
..	5	26	..	..	8	45	..	..	..	22	66	M	715	..	1203	47	17	36	1303	81.30	
..	1	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	10	..	59	..	59	..	..	..	59	..	
3	4	32	11	..	7	35	..	..	..	4	90	M	625	..	900	27	4	30	1010	30.85	9
..	2	18	..	..	4	20	..	..	..	..	31	..	300	..	494	13	5	35	508	15.15	
..	3	27	..	..	8	25	..	..	..	..	71	M	575	..	834	35	..	152	1021	47.53	
2	7	74	5	2	12	136	7	1	3	2	235	M	..	..	4512	518	30	304	5929	504.57	10
..	4	29	..	..	9	60	2	..	..	2	46	..	550	..	820	131	25	111	1087	131.40	
2	6	66	3	..	8	82	3	..	..	1	172	M	1300	..	1929	179	21	222	2350	196.81	11
..	6	39	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	102	M	400	..	862	20	40	83	1112	20.00	
1	3	39	2	..	8	48	..	1	..	1	119	M	1050	315	1658	55	..	75	1788	54.60	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
22	107	1237	70	10	163	1204	45	26	41	151	2602	16	16725	8515	34979	2511	377	2597	41304	2536.70	
22	104	1275	26	6	158	1154	56	37	17	80	2745	16	17903	8650	33735	2702	155	2741	39435	2598.48	
..	3	..	44	4	5	50	..	..	24	71	..	..	..	..	1244	..	222	..	1869	..	
..	..	38	..	..	..	..	11	11	..	..	143	..	1178	135	..	191	..	144	..	61.78	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 8
" Congregations in them 17
" Augmented Charges 3
" Congregations in them 4

Number of Mission Fields 1
" Preaching Stations in them 1
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 12
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 22

ROBERT SIMPSON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Bolton	J. C. Ross	Bolton	James Harper	Bolton
	Nashville				
2	Brampton	H. M. Coulter, B.A., Th.B	48 Church St	D. J. McClure	R.R., Brampton
3	Boston	B. F. Andrew	R.R. 5, Milton	Thomas Michie	R.R. 5, Milton
	Omagh			David Douglas	R.R. 1, Milton
4	Eversley	M. E. Burch, B.A. (O.M.)	King City	Rev. M. E. Burch	King City
	Strange				
	West King				
	Tenth Line King				
5	Georgetown, Knox	D. D. Davidson, M.A.	Georgetown	Hugh Black	Milton
	Limehouse			William Newton	Limehouse
6	Markham	W. H. Fuller, B.A.	Markham	A. F. Wilson	Markham
	Stouffville			James Rennie	R.R. 1, Stouffville
7	Milton, Knox	John Riddell	Milton, Ont.	R. H. Ptolemy	Milton
8	Newmarket, St. Andrew's	D. McIntyre, Ph.D.	Newmarket	Arch. Mair	Newmarket
9	Norval	A. N. McMillan	Norval	S. D. McClure	R.R. 2, Brampton
	Union			Andrew Macdonald	Terra Cotta
10	Oakville, Knox	C. K. Nicoll	17 Palmer Ave., Oakville.	J. H. Hodge	Division St., Oakville.
11	Oshawa, Knox	W. H. Reid, M.A. (S.S.)	337 Simcoe St. N.		
12	Port Credit, St. Andrew's	Samuel Lundie	Port Credit	John M. Gray	Port Credit
13	Richmond Hill	J. D. Cunningham, B.D.	Richmond Hill	J. E. Monkman	Richmond Hill
	Thornhill			George Cooper	Willowdale
	Scarboro:—				
14	Melville, West Hill	Murdo MacInnis	West Hill	William Little	Agincourt
15	St. Andrew's	A. L. Burch, D.D.	R.R. 1, Scarboro Jct.	John Walton	R.R. 1, Scarboro Jct.
16	Streetsville	R. H. M. Kerr, B.A.	Streetsville	J. H. Weylie	R.R. 3, Streetsville
	Sixteen, Knox			Alex. Porter	Oakville
17	Vaughan, St. Paul's	C. H. Bowman, B.A.	Box 78, Maple	George Matheson	Maple
	St. Andrew's, Maple				
18	Whitby, St. Andrew's	H. Carmichael, M.A., Ph.D.	Whitby	Walter A. Thomson	Whitby
	Pickering, St. Andrew's			J. G. Baxter	Pickering
19	Woodbridge	J. S. Roe, B.A. (O.M.)	Woodbridge	John W. Ellerby	Woodbridge
	Vaughan, Knox			Colin Cameron	R.R. 1, Nashville
	Toronto City:—				
20	Avenue Road	A. R. Skinner, B.A.	53 Avenue Rd	Rev. A. R. Skinner	53 Avenue Rd
21	Beaches	J. R. Sanderson, B.D.	166 Hammersmith Ave	Joseph S. Whyte	25 Hazel Ave
22	Bonar	G. C. Lamont, B.A.	351 Lansdowne Ave.	Angus L. McLeod	326 Brock Ave
23	Calvin	Joseph Wasson	22 Delisle St.	John Wilson	46 Westmount Ave
24	Chalmers	G. D. Little	166 Westminster Ave.	W. Dawson	369 Dovercourt Rd.
25	Cooke's	William Thomas, M.A.	179 Wanless Ave	John Hammond	29 Sanford Ave
26	Dale	John Davey, B.D.	14 Tyndall Ave	S. McAllister	445 Millwood Rd
27	Davenport Road	J. A. Hilts	1183 Davenport Road	W. J. McGown	316 Rushton Rd
28	Dovercourt Road	William Allan	62 Lyndhurst Ave	James Rae	303 Durie St
29	Dufferin Street	J. B. Thomson	230 Rusholme Rd	A. M. Tomlinson	264 Hancock St
30	Emmanuel	S. H. Hill, B.D.	30 Benlamond Ave.	D. Cameron	11 Benlamond Ave.
31	Glebe	W. T. McCree, M.A.	18 Thurloe Ave	Robert M. Sedgewick	12 Oswald Cres
32	Glenview	J. Stanley Glen, Ph.D.	47 Fairlawn Ave	William Collier	54 Broadway Ave
33	High Park	John V. Mills, B.Th.	566 Indian Rd	T. P. Geggie (assessor)	116 Dowling Ave
34	Knox	J. G. Inkster, D.D.	407 Brunswick Ave	G. H. Anderson	47 Indian Grove
		A. B. Winchester, D.D.	89 Delaware Ave		
35	Parkdale	F. G. Vesey	250 Dunn Ave	George Rait	51 Edna Ave
36	Patterson Memorial	N. Stevenson	363 Armadale Ave.	John MacDonald	1059A St. Clair Ave.
37	Queen Street East	W. Hardy Andrews, D.D.	69 Astley Ave	H. J. N. Williams	31 Firstbrooke Ave
38	Riverdale	A. G. Macpherson, B.D.	54 Playter Blvd	Roy Davenport	54 Fulton Ave
39	Rogers Memorial	T. J. Watson, B.A., B.D.	25 Oakdene Cres	W. H. Grimblehy	668 Milverton Blvd
40	Rosedale	J. B. Paulin, D.D.	67 South Drive	W. M. Douglas	64 South Drive
41	Royce Avenue	R. H. Lyttle, B.D.	390 Perth Ave	James M. Tomlinson	56 Laughton Ave
42	Runnymede	A. B. Ransom, B.D.	26 Raymond Ave	R. W. Donaldson	146 Gilmour Ave
43	St. Andrew's	S. C. Parker, B.D., D.D.	42 Admiral Rd	A. W. R. Adair	76 Dewson St.
44	St. John's	R. G. Stewart, D.D.	32 Bayfield Cres	H. A. Miller	4 Aberdeen, Bain Ave.

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													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
	4	60	4	..	8	46	10	3	1	2	125	M	1080	.....	1818	89	30	188	2125	103.36	1
2	4	32	...	..	6	49	...	...	...	...	65	...	720	.....	1187	254	25	275	1741	154.77	
..	3	314	6	..	22	187	6	11	7	13	573	M	2200	.....	6915	1454	45	394	8707	992.20	2
1	18	55	8	..	6	70	2	1	...	2	108	M	721	.....	1411	33	.....	81	1525	35.47	3
2	5	45	2	..	8	61	5	1	6	4	105	...	900	.....	1411	39	.....	95	1545	50.61	
..	4	21	1	..	4	28	...	...	...	...	34	M	400	.....	552	38	20	92	702	37.92	4
4	2	17	...	..	3	...	...	...	...	...	48	...	400	.....	750	8	25	...	783	8.00	
..	2	17	...	..	...	...	7	...	...	1	34	...	200	.....	200	...	...	...	200	.....	
..	1	14	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	204	.....	270	...	...	38	308	.....	
..	2	17	2	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	200	.....	270	...	...	...	...	.....	
..	2	17	2	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	204	.....	270	...	...	...	...	.....	
..	2	17	2	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	200	.....	270	...	...	38	308

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No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
45	St. Paul's	R. C. McDermid	154 Spadina Rd.	S. Donnan	275 Windermere Ave.
46	Victoria	J. Y. Fraser	154 Annette St., 304 S. Kingsway,	D. D. Macdonald	411 Annette St.
47	Wychwood	James Wilson, D.D.	34 Northcliffe Blvd.	T. F. Heacock	162 Glenholme Ave.
	Toronto Suburbs: —				
48	Mimico	John Galloway	27 Hillside Ave., Mimico, Toronto 14.	Cedric Andrew	Islington
	Islington			Col. J. E. L. Straight, M.P.	Conway Ave., Islington
49	Morningside	Edgar Foreman, B.A.	2 Ellis Park Rd., Toronto 3.	James Wilson	284 Ellis Ave.
50	Oakwood	D. Crawford Smith, B.A., B.D.	384 Oakwood Ave.	W. Milligan	137 Glenholme Ave.
51	Weston	Vacant		Angus Cameron	293 Church St.
52	Long Branch, Dunn Mem. Dixie	T. D. McCullough, M.A.	Cooksville, R.R. 1	John Shannon	Long Branch
53	York	D. P. Rowland	1367 Lansdowne Ave.	Roy Boak	336 Blackthorne Ave.
54	Todmorden, Westminster	Kenneth C. MacLennan (S.S.)	Toronto, Ont.	John Dickson	91 Hopedale Ave.
	Mission Fields				
1	Aurora	J. Stanley Glen, Ph.D.	Aurora	William Watson	Aurora
2	Agincourt, Knox	A. C. Jamieson, B.A.	Agincourt	Herbert Kennedy	Agincourt
3	Evangel Hall	R. J. Koffend	573 Queen St. W.		
4	Fairbank	John Kelman	36 Fairbank Ave.	Wm. Greig	80 Lanark Ave.
5	Hornby	In care of Milton		Lester Brown	Norval
6	Macpherson	Andrew Hood (S.S.)	39 Main St.	W. R. Woods	4 Donora St., Coleman P.O.
7	Mount Dennis	Student		John Milne	1293 Jane St., Mount Dennis.
8	Scott Institute	M. Zeidman, B.D.	307 Palmerston Ave.		
9	Sutton Mount Pleasant	Stated Supply		Donald Macdonald	Sutton West
10	Toronto, St. Matthew's	Student		J. S. Fleming	69 Redwood Ave.
11	Willowdale	Student		J. D. Berry, M.D.	Parkview Blvd.
	Non Anglo-Saxon				
12	Ukrainian, Oshawa	Luke Standret	573 Oxford St., Oshawa	Rev. Luke Standret	573 Oxford St., Oshawa
13	Ukrainian, Toronto	M. Fesenko, Th.B.	152 Donlands Ave.	Rev. M. Fesenko	152 Donlands Ave.
14	Chinese, Toronto	Ma T. K. Wou	511 University Ave.	L. K. Lew	474 University Ave.
15	Hungarian, Toronto	Charles Steinmetz	30 Bernard Ave.	Albert Lucas	218 Manning Ave.
	Others on Roll				
1	Joint Clerk, General Assembly	J. W. MacNamara, B.D., D.D.	100 Adelaide St. W.,	Toronto	
2	Principal, Knox College	Thomas Eakin, Ph.D., D.D.	59 St. George St.,	Toronto	
3	Professor, Knox College	John D. Cunningham, B.D., D.D.	59 St. George St.,	Toronto	
4	Professor, Knox College	W. W. Bryden, B.D., D.D.	59 St. George St.,	Toronto	
5	Secretary, Board of S.S. & Y.P.S.	W. M. Kannawin, D.D.	100 Adelaide St. W.,	Toronto	
6	Editor, *The Presbyterian Record*	W. M. Rochester, D.D.	100 Adelaide St. W.,	Toronto	
7	Secretary, Pension Board	John Lindsay	Whitby, Ont.		
8	Retired	John A. Mustard, B.A.	265 Havelock St.,	Toronto	

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1	24	397	16	5	46	437	20	27	13	32	670		3240	22900	9954	1893	242	958	13047	1909.64	45
1	26	450	20	6	75	700	35	39	23	13	1038		3000	32500	12099	2337	2800	1074	18310	2345.07	46
1	12	230	2	2	25	300	13	9	4	30	426		2400	25000	11730	1170	.....	228	13500	1045.76	47
2	5	80	3	..	16	109	5	1	4	1	149	R H	1470	5638	2144	76	.....	41	2252	75.68	48
..	4	46	.....	..	16	117	.....	1	.....	1	81	.....	468	2700	846	49	.....	13	1045	48.84	
1	15	275	13	..	31	287	5	20	7	16	353	M	2000	30390	7875	750	270	213	8895	750.00	49
1	8	130	3	2	40	340	9	4	16	22	270	R H	1570	23400	5491	237	5	113	5846	233.65	50
1	6	130	9	1	16	120	5	14	2	10	221	.....	2250	1500	4136	291	.....	143	4570	291.12	51
2	5	43	3	4	32	337	12	4	2	15	120	.....	1100	.....	1531	19	20	37	1601	19.00	52
..	4	28	3	..	7	37	5	1	2	.....	72	.....	500	3200	1159	20	.....	5	1284	22.19	
1	6	.....	31	..	25	190	62	37	1	8	279	R H	1800	4000	2916	181	153	30	5403	195.44	53
1	7	170	12	4	25	395	6	11	18	1	285	.....	.....	5700	.....	306	.....	75	3664	279.00	54
1	5	89	3	..	10	.....	3	..	2	35	119	M	1200	1900	1687	21	263	196	2167	21.10	1
1	6	49	.....	..	12	56	2	1	.....	.....	121	.....	1200	650	2332	260	26	463	3081	259.90	2
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	652	247	128	12	.....	244.64	3
1	5	86	11	..	22	203	8	9	6	1	207	R H	1500	11300	2655	129	.....	52	2782	145.01	4
*1	2	14	1	..	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	41	.....	400	.....	416	20	.....	.....	436	12.00	5
1	4	65	.....	..	17	165	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	R H	1600	15600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28.00	6
1	4	42	2	..	9	60	1	7	3	2	137	.....	510	4800	1018	28	150	57	1196	54.01	7
1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	†2340	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.89	8
*2	3	44	2	..	4	45	1	4	.....	1	60	R H	705	2300	1415	65	.....	219	1676	2.46	9
..	4	10	2	..	3	30	2	.....	.....	.....	18	.....	133	.....	145	177	.....	.....	165	11.00	
1	8	75	7	..	13	125	4	6	4	3	115	.....	619	1900	1053	38	13	77	.....	37.80	10
*1	5	65	1	..	17	123	8	3	.....	3	124	R H	1200	7300	2200	40	.....	112	2352	34.54	11
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1	3	65	4	..	2	48	3	..	.....	1	95	†	†1440	641	18	.....	.....	.....	659	10.00	12
1	2	58	4	..	5	90	2	3	.....	.....	35	†	†1440	.....	355	.....	.....	.....	355	.....	13
1	4	.....	1	..	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	†	†1440	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14
1	6	64	2	1	6	70	25	.....	.....	15	105	†	†1219	.....	2638	67	.....	.....	2705	67.14	15

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Appendix to Roll				
	I. Foreign Missionaries				
1		James Dickson	Tansui, Japan		
2		A. A. Lowther, M.A., B.D.	Jhansi, U.P. India		
3		David Marshall	Box 288, Georgetown,	British Guiana	
4		E. H. Johnston, B.Sc	Szepingkai, Manchuria	via Japan	
	Others				
5		H. E. Abraham, B.A., D.D.	207 Rosemary Rd	Forest Hill Village	
6		David Anderson, B.A.	36 Cornish Rd	Toronto	
7		George Atkinson	105 Kennedy Ave	Toronto	
8		A. V. Brown, M.A., Ph.D	134 Carlton St	Toronto	
9		R. J. Berlis, B.A., B.D.	Westminster Church	Minneapolis, Minn. U.S.A.	
10		M. C. Campbell, D.D.	21 Inglewood Drive	Toronto	
11		R. W. Collins	198 Sunnyside Ave	Toronto	
12		P. Chinggerie-Crath	48 Peterborough Ave.	Toronto	
13		R. E. G. Dennys, B.A.	198 Cottingham St	Toronto	
14		George P. Duncan, D.D.	391 Berkeley St	Toronto	
15		D. I. Ellison	508 Annette St	Toronto	
16		Alexander Forbes, D.D.	Apt. 35, 2 Glen Elm A	ve., Toronto	
17		S. C. Graeb	185 Wright Ave	Toronto	
18		W. G. Hanna, B.A.	157 High Park Ave	Toronto	
19		Andrew Hood	39 Main St	Toronto	
20		F. C. Harper, B.A., B.D.	124 Queen's Drive	Weston	
21		J. M. Jaffray	22 Earnbridge Ave	Toronto	
22		Peter Jamieson	Wilton, Ont		
23		H. N. Konkle	236A Bain Ave	Toronto	
24		F. H. Larkin, D.D.	33 Inglewood Drive	Toronto	
25		Samuel Lawrence	R.R. 2, Whitby, Ont.		
26		C. H. Lowry	221 Humbercrest Blvd	Toronto	
27		N. A. MacEachern, M.A., D.D.	Presbyterian Publicati	ons, 73 Simcoe St., To	ronto
28		Kenneth MacLennan	355 Main St	Toronto	
29		Walter McCleary, B.A.	British and Foreign Bi	ble Society, 16 College	St., Toronto
30		K. R. MacFadyen, B.D.	Ford Hotel	Toronto	
31		George J. Mackay, M.A.	15 Victoria Ave	Mimico, Toronto 14	
32		John McNicol, D.D.	16 Spadina Rd	Toronto	
33		Ewen Macdonald	210A Riverside Drive	Toronto	
34		John Mackenzie, M.A., B.D.	R.R., Hespeler, Ont.		
35		George B. McLeod, M.A.	45 Atlas Ave	Toronto	
36		John McNab, M.A., B.D.	151 Northcliffe Blvd	Toronto	
37		G. Milligan, M.A.	43 Isabella St	Toronto	
38		E. L. Morrow, M.A., B.D., Ph.D	75 Alexandra Blvd	Toronto	
39		A. Mullin	31 Woodlawn Ave	Toronto	
40		C. B. Pitcher	43 Dunn Ave	Toronto	
41		W. Harold Reid, M.A.	337 Simcoe St. N.	Oshawa	
42		J. P. Rice, Phm.B.	21 Sussex St	Toronto	
43		P. F. Sinclair, B.A.	867 Bathurst St	Toronto	
44		R. B. Stevenson, M.A.	2074 Gerrard St	Toronto	
45		Peter Taylor, B.A.	R.R. 2, Pickering, Ont.		
46		Gordon R. Taylor, M.A.	Knox College	Toronto	
47		Harry Walker	139 Dunn Ave	Toronto	
		J. B. Skene, B.A., Clerk, The	Presbytery of Toronto c/o Knox Church,	Toronto	

Grand Total, 1937
Grand Total, 1936
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 45
In Augmented Charges 5
In Ordained Mission Fields 11

Others on Roll 8
Total on Roll 70
Ministers on Appendix 48
Grand Total of Ministers 117

c/o Knox Church, Toronto, April 26, 1938.

16. PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No.	No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937 $ c	No.
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		85	844	12534	593	57	1737	17072	899	793	553	1353	28086	37	125800	742787	394800	60745	18394	30113	501357	63557.36
		86	822	12032	659	62	1812	16731	1007	813	485	1292	28447	36	124912	765755	385796	61206	22658	28666	518498	64111.41
		..	22	502	....	....	....	341	....	....	68	61	....	1	888	....	9004	....	....	1447	....	....
		..	....	....	66	5	75	....	108	20	....	....	361	....	....	22968	....	461	4264	....	17141	554.05
		1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 47
" Congregations in them 56
" Augmented Charges 6
" Congregations in them 8

Number of Mission Fields 16
" Preaching Stations in them 21
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 69
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 85

*Last year's figures. †Salary paid by Board of Missions; also R.H. ‡Salary.

J. B. SKENE, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Caledon East, Knox	Geo. Aitken, B.A., Th.D	Caledon East	R. J. Innis	Mono Road
	Caledon, St. Andrew's			Alex. McBride	R.R. 1, Caledon East
	Claude			John McEachern	Inglewood
2	Dundalk, Erskine	Wm. Mackintosh, B.A., B.D.	Dundalk	Herman Johnston	Dundalk
	Ventry, Knox			C. A. Johnston	R.R. 2, Dundalk
3	Erin, Burns	Vacant		Jas. Binnie	Erin
	Ospringe			John L. Allen	R.R. 3, Acton
4	Grand Valley, Knox	C. Graham Jones, B.A., B.D.	Grand Valley	Walter Richardson	Grand Valley
	South Luther, Ebenezer			Henry Newson	R.R. 3, Grand Valley
5	Hillsburg, St. Andrew's	T. W. Goodwill, B.A.	Hillsburg	Chas. W. McMurchy	Hillsburg
	Price's Corners, Bethel			James H. Hall	Grand Valley
6	Horning's Mills	Vacant		R. B. Polley	Horning's Mills
	Maple Valley			Jos. J. Sawdon	R.R. 4, Creemore
7	Markdale, Cooke's	Joseph Taylor	Markdale	W. J. Messenger	Markdale
	Flesherton, Chalmers			*Wm. Inkster	Flesherton
8	Orangeville	J. H. Woodside, B.A., LL.D.	Orangeville	*James Creary	Orangeville
	Waldemar			Wilfred Gamble	Waldemar
9	Priceville	Joseph Taylor	Markdale	Rev. A. Sutherland	Priceville
	Swinton Park			John Aldcorn	R.R. 1, Proton
	Mission Fields				
1	Corbetton	Under care of Dundalk Session		Chris. Thomson	Feversham
2	Feversham	Vacant		Arch. Currie	Duntroon
	Singhampton				
	Shelburne				
	Appendix to Roll				
1		Angus Sutherland, M.A.	Priceville, Ont.		
2		A. H. Barker	Horning's Mills, Ont.		
3		T. O. Miller, B.A.	Orangeville, Ont.		
4		J. A. Grant	Erin, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges ... 3
In Augmented Charges ... 2
In Ordained Mission Fields ... 1

Others on Roll ...
Total on Roll ... 6
Ministers on Appendix ... 4
Grand Total of Ministers ... 10

Orangeville, April 18, 1938.

*Representative Elder.

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

1	Allandale	N. R. D. Sinclair, M.A., B.D.	Allandale	W. G. Kennedy	R.R., Allandale
	Stroud			J. Cowan	R.R., Thornton
2	Alliston	G. C. Little, B.A.	Alliston	W. J. Wilson	Alliston
	Mansfield			Paul Gallaugher	Mansfield
3	Bala	R. B. Nelles	Bala	John Burgess	Bala
	Port Carling			John Wallace	Port Carling
	Torrance				
4	Barrie	J. S. Shortt, M.A., D.D.	Barrie	Geo. C. Brown	Barrie
5	Bracebridge	P. W. MacInnes	Bracebridge	Walter Lee	Bracebridge
6	Bradford	Vacant		W. J. Faris	Bradford
	West Gwillimbury			W. G. Faris	R.R., Bradford
	St. John's			Alex. Roberts	R.R. 2, Bradford
7	Collingwood	W. MacMillan, B.D.	Collingwood	R. J. Hewson	Collingwood
8	Cookstown	Student Supply		A. L. McCullough	Cookstown
	First Essa			A. S. Reid	R.R., Thornton
	Angus			Lorne Davidson	Angus

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													$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
3	6	40	2		8	50	4	3		1	98	M	600		1115	139		145	1399	131.52	1
	3	15	2		4	21	3		4	3	30		400		445			20	465		
	4	50	3		8	47	3	1		8	112		800		1292	242	10	178	1722	217.63	
2	3	35	2		9	67			2	3	105	M	665		1179	127	10	92	1408	127.01	2
	4	42	2		9	87	3		7		99		535		1028	49		127	1204	47.00	
2	5	65	1		3	62	4	3		6	141	M	810		1665	112	5	98	1880	120.00	3
	4	40			2	15			1	1	63		400		626	14			640	14.00	
2	4	108	4		10	58		5	1	2	192	M	1440	500	2355	166	13	195	2729	166.34	4
	2	21				6	72	3		1	40		360		510	61		28	599	64.23	
2	6	93	3		7	50	10	3	1	9	207	M	855		2538	234	285	141	3198	234.08	5
	3	50	1		4	50			2	1	121		755		1519	96	100	79	1794	96.10	
2	6	35	4		6	40	28	6	2	3	79	M	450		636	11		48	695	11.45	6
	3	24			6	35		2			77		445		557	59		160	776	55.65	
2	5	60	4	1	9	55			2	2	108	M	545	1200	716	39	7	50	812	7.96	7
	4	12							1		35		82		107				107	10.00	
2	4	85			6	64	2	9	2	8	186	M	1200	1200	1884	129	36	90	2139	108.00	8
	3	30	3		5	54	2		2		40		120		280	3	7	17	307	1.59	
2	6	40			4	40	1				139	M	483	1025	1057	22		39	1118	21.50	9
	6	29			4	20				1	52		219		402	8		61	471	15.00	
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1		12			4	16														16.00	2
2	1	12								7	22	M	372	350	420	10			430		
	3	8	3							2	27		139		139				139		
	3	25									45										
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22	88	931	34	1	114	903	60	35	27	58	2018	10	11675	4275	20470	1521	473	1568	24032	1467.06	
22	85	950	38	8	133	858	61	36	20	94	2008	10	12576	4325	21028	1424	548	1605	24605	1375.10	
	3					45			7		10					97				91.96	
		19	4	7	19		1	4		36			901	50	558		75	37	573		

Number of Self-sustaining Charges ... 5
" Congregations in them ... 11
" Augmented Charges ... 2
" Congregations in them ... 4

Number of Mission Fields ... 4
" Preaching Stations in them ... 7
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields ... 11
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations ... 22

T. O. MILLER, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

18. PRESBYTERY OF BARRIE

2	6	67	7		15	145	10	6	6	4	206	M	1550		2650	223		127	3000	240.61	1
	3	20	7		9	55	1		3	1	61		425		567	44		95	706	44.00	
2	5	60	1		8	45	2	2		2	97	R H	900	385	1529	65		219	1813	70.35	2
	3	40			7	60	2			3	82		900		1114	30		67	1211	36.70	
3	4	20	1		5	38	2			1	44	R H	800	3000	1055	64	13	27	1159	64.15	3
	4	25	2		7	60		2		2	50		800		988	132		62	1182	121.60	
					6	45					12		40		100				100		
1	13	230	11	1	28	200	11	22	6	8	520	M	2500	3700	7100	1224	326	792	9442	1225.42	4
1	7	60	4	1	6	100		7	2	2	140	M	1800	164	2100	124	19	57	2300	123.30	5
3	4	40			4	25		1	2	2	84	M	328	230	653	15		41	709	1.22	6
	3	24			5	27				18	42		340		464	22		87	573	52.11	
	4	21	1							2	32		260		436	20		44	500	35.47	
1	13	200	6	2	20	250	11	7	11	134	498	M	1800	8500	5164	537		455	6156	495.30	7
3	2	20			6	24	4		1	9	56	M	672		1102	18	5	65	1190	21.15	8
	2	20			5	23				7	33		287		540		100		640	2.50	
	2	22			4	15				4	24	M	275		507	8	55		570	8.00	

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
9	Creemore	E. C. Currie	Creemore	Angus Gillespie	Creemore
	Dunedin			Angus Campbell	Glen Huron
	East Nottawasaga			Donald McQueen	R.R., Stayner
10	Duntroon	R. A. Birnie	Duntroon	R. J. Campbell	Duntroon
	West Nottawasaga			Hugh Gillies	R.R., Nottawa
	Nottawa			John Redpath	Nottawa
11	Elmvale	W. S. Mark, M.A., D.Th	Elmvale	W. D. Cotton	Elmvale
	Flos, Knox			T. Smith	Phelpston
12	Guthrie	Robertson Millar	Oro Station	Norman Campbell	R.R., Shanty Bay
	Oro, Central			William MacArthur	Oro Station
	St. Andrew's				
13	Hillsdale	J. M. Ritchie, M.A.	Hillsdale	W. P. Turner	R.R. 1, Elmvale
	Moonstone				
	Craighurst				
14	Midland	A. C. Stewart, M.A.	Midland	R. G. Nesbitt	Midland
15	Orillia	J. A. MacInnes, B.A., B.D.	Orillia	J. A. Gibson	Orillia
16	Penetanguishene	Vacant		J. H. McGuire	Penetanguishene
	Wyebridge				
17	Stayner	W. Coutts, B.A.	Stayner	John Risebrough	Stayner
	Sunnidale			H. J. Schell	Stayner
18	Thornbury	E. Orsborn	Thornbury	T. G. Idle	Thornbury
	Meaford			Rev. E. Orsborn	Thornbury
19	Tottenham	W. T. Cranston	Tottenham	Rev. W. T. Cranston	Tottenham
	Beeton				
	Schomberg				
20	Townline	E. C. Robertson	Thornton	Rev. E. C. Robertson	Thornton
	Ivy				
	Baxter			J. J. Cochrane	Angus
21	Uptergrove	B. D. Armstrong, B.A.	Uptergrove	D. C. McKinnon	R.R. 2, Atherley
	Esson			T. H. McMahon	Hawkestone
	Willis			J. R. Cook	R.R. 4, Coldwater
22	Victoria Harbour	L. E. Gosselin	Victoria Harbour	Dr. D. W. MacKenzie	Victoria Harbour
	Port McNicoll			Capt. Jas. McCannell	Port McNicoll
	Coldwater			M. E. Walker	Coldwater
	Mission Fields				
1	Banks			D. J. McGowan	Ravenna
	Gibraltar				
	St. Andrew's				
2	Gravenhurst	Supplied from Bracebridge		W. N. Boyes	Vankoughnet
3	Vankoughnet				
4	Everett				
5	Windermere				
6	Wyevale				
	Others on Roll				
1		N. Campbell, D.D.	Barrie		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		W. France	Box 37, Markham, Ont		
2		J. Lennox, D.D.	Allandale, Ont		
3		Allan Reoch, B.A.	Szepingkai, Manchuria		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges ... 17
In Augmented Charges ... 2
In Ordained Mission Fields ... ..

Others on Roll ... 1
Total on Roll ... 20
Ministers on Appendix ... 3
Grand Total of Ministers ... 23

Allandale, March 30, 1938.

18. PRESBYTERY OF BARRIE—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
3	6	46	..	..	10	65	3	2	..	3	112	M	875	2600	1784	165	47	156	2152	169.35	9
..	4	32	..	..	10	50	..	3	2	3	58	..	425	..	1017	82	17	9	1125	74.75	
..	3	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	
3	4	39	..	1	5	32	3	..	..	1	45	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	3	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	
3	4	39	..	1	5	32	3	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	6	49	4	..	6	40	..	..	..	1	3	M	720	..	910	62	37	83	1092	74.51	10
..	3	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	95	M	720	..	910	62	37	83	1092	74.51	10
..	6	49	4	..	6	40	..	..	..	1	3	M	720	..	910	62	37	83	1092	74.51	10
..	6	49	4	..	6	40	..	..	..	1	39	..	300	..	426	19	..	59	892	19.67	
..	4	13	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	39	..	300	..	426	19	..	59	892	19.67	
..	4	13	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
2	5	88	13	..	11	133	3	2	2	2	240	M	1260	..	2218	175	..	224	2617	183.58	11
..	5	40	3	..	8	85	..	2	..	2	96	..	600	..	876	112	111	243	1342	111.85	
..	5	40	3	..	8	85	..	2	..	2	96	..	600	..	876	112	111	243	1342	111.85	
..	4	12	..	..	4	7	..	..	..	2	59	M	485	..	555	30	..	62	647	30.00	12
3	4	12	..	..	4	7	..	..	..	..	67	..	732	525	916	23	..	79	1018	23.00	
..	4	30	1	..	3	32	2	..	..	1	24	..	167	..	265	5	..	..	270	5.70	
..	..	18	..	..	3	15	..	..	..	1	24	..	167	..	1079	176	..	108	1363	177.15	13
3	..	50	7	..	11	80	..	3	1	2	96	M	987	..	276	..	..	..	276	..	
3	5	50	7	..	11	80	..	3	1	2	20	..	276	..	330	8	..	..	338	7.63	
..	..	40	2	..	3	29	..	..	..	..	37	..	307	..	10419	581	..	695	11695	495.00	14
..	3	25	3	..	6	24	..	..	..	2	567	M	2500	..	12152	2215	115	1353	15835	1909.18	15
1	15	360	..	..	40	360	10	3	15	11	744	M	2700	8400	967	144	..	115	1226	120.00	16
1	21	475	26	4	46	489	21	11	14	55	62	M	775	..	443	4	3	60	510	3.55	
2	3	40	3	..	4	67	..	2	4	1	25	..	350	..	2875	280	..	246	3401	280.88	17
..	2	24	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	5	235	M	1200	..	955	105	..	158	1218	106.51	
2	9	90	3	..	12	127	10	2	..	..	65	..	600	600	1941	23	..	136	2100	23.20	18
..	4	40	4	2	7	47	10	2	..	..	171	M	1400	..	886	54	..	76	1016	57.10	
2	6	67	..	..	6	26	..	..	..	2	75	..	600	..	1100	80	..	100	1280	7.75	
..	1	40	1	..	5	45	7	5	1	3	103	M	640	300	800	183	..	130	1113	183.15	19
3	4	36	1	..	6	40	1	1	..	5	93	..	900	..	1100	80	..	100	706	66.00	
..	4	36	1	..	6	45	11	3	..	1	39	..	400	300	540	66	..	93	768	5.00	20
..	3	24	..	..	5	20	..	..	..	4	52	M	400	..	670	5	..	..	622	35.52	
3	3	23	..	..	6	20	2	..	..	2	84	..	593	..	593	29	..	..	888	31.92	
..	3	30	1	..	13	49	17	2	..	2	65	..	523	..	831	28	29	..	808	35.00	21
..	3	40	..	..	8	64	..	..	..	1	38	M	500	..	775	33	..	100	1000	50.00	
3	4	22	..	..	4	12	..	..	1	1	67	..	500	..	825	50	29	96	780	16.60	
..	4	30	..	..	6	35	1	..	..	1	70	M	400	..	763	17	..	..	1417	172.60	22
..	4	35	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	134	M	800	..	1172	144	..	101	1248	6.32	
3	3	37	2	..	6	42	1	..	3	2	70	..	825	..	1142	43	..	63	1059	84.89	
..	4	36	4	1	..	..	1	..	..	2	49	..	600	..	869	71	4	115	..	..	
..	4	28	1	..	6	45	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	21	..	165	..	180	..	..	160	340	1.44	1
3	3	15	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	..	237	600	404	14	..	30	448	13.60	2
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	4	15	..	..	1	12	..	6	..	..	40	..	237	600	404	14	..	30	448	13.60	2
1	4	15	..	..	1	12	..	6	..	..	36	..	117	..	124	9	6	..	139	9.00	3
1	2	13	..	..	2	20	..	..	..	..	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
1	1	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	60.00	6
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
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..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11925	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
56	242	2937	121	12	404	3269	151	103	77	342	5993	24	39316	29304	78970	7574	916	7026	94486	7212.28	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
56	248	3044	177	9	421	3052	154	114	79	210	6184	24	39123	23357	80214	8614	656	7369	96853	8652.72	
..	..	..	..	3	..	217	..	..	..	132	..	..	193	5947	..	..	260	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	191	..	..	..	1244	1040	..	343	2367	1440.44	
..	6	107	56	..	17	..	3	11	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges ... 19 — Number of Mission Fields ... 6
" Congregations in them ... 41 — " Preaching Stations in them ... 6
" Augmented Charges ... 3 — Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields ... 28
" Congregations in them ... 9 — " " Congregations and Preaching Stations ... 56

†Salary paid by Board of Missions.

N. R. D. SINCLAIR, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Burk's Falls	Student Supply		S. R. Alexander	Burk's Falls
2	Englehart	P. W. Graham, M.A.	Englehart	Jas. Paterson	Englehart
	Tomstown				
3	Huntsville			Geo. Munroe	Huntsville
4	New Liskeard, St. Andrew's	E. J. Kerr, B.D.	New Liskeard	W. G. Nixon, B.Sc., M.L.A.	New Liskeard
5	North Bay	J. A. Sutherland, M.A. (S.S.)	185 Worthington St.E.	R. H. Thompson	309 Main St. W. North Bay.
6	Parry Sound, St. Andrew's	J. O. Ralston, M.A.	Parry Sound	Adam Brown	Parry Sound
	Mission Fields				
1	Cochrane				
	Clute				
2	Earlton			*Mrs. Semple	Earlton
3	Hunter's Point, P.Q.			*Thos. Hunter	Hunter's Point, P.Q.
4	Magnetawan			Hugh Thompson	Magnetawan
	Croft				
	Ahmic Harbour				
	Port Cameron				
	Spence				
5	Sundridge			*Mrs. Jas. Dunbar	Sundridge
6	Kirkland Lake	C. J. MacKay, B.A.	Kirkland Lake	Leonard Powell	69-3rd St., Kirkland Lake.
7	Cecebe	Supplied from Burk's Falls			
	†King Kirkland				
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	
In S.S. Charges	2	Total on Roll	4
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	4

New Liskeard, April 18, 1938.

†Reported by Treasurer. *Not Elders.

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	5	40			9	47				1	81	M	497	1450	576	49		58	683	49.46	1
2	4	63			11	75					91	R H	1050		1855	134		218	2207	99.32	2
	2	15			3	20					15		60	365	70	1	2		73	1.68	
1	6	40	4		6		9	2	2	2	144		914	2950	1415		5	35	1450	5.20	3
1	10	130	12	2	17	167	7	8	5	34	180	M	2000	570	4236	344	123	146	4849	344.16	4
1	10	98	13		10	95	2	1	6	7	214	R H	1600	18100	3559	127	23	124	3810	108.80	5
1	7	120	9		13	123	1	1		1	203	M	1800		3400	154	59	90	3703	159.30	6
2	4	27	1		6	53					45			2000	272			9	281		1
																					2
1	5				2	25													57		3
1		3			2	6					10			57						27.00	4
5	1	33			6	52					54	M	300		423	26	16	27	492	5.00	
		15	2								11		120		152	5			157		
		6											10						10		
													20		20				20		
	2	24			4	31					45		200		176	10			186	10.00	
1											18		95						95	15.00	5
1	5	75	15		12	123	19	76			95	R H			1473	135	51	10	1669	134.44	6
																					7
1																					
																				1.00	
20	61	689	56	2	101	817	38	88	13	45	1206	7	8666	25492	17627	985	279	717	19742	960.36	
17	59	766	84	7	94	773	52	13	19	21	1221	7	9132	26719	18628	999	343	783	20696	913.16	
3	2				7	44		75		24										47.20	
		77	28	5			14		6		15		466	1227	1001	14	64	66	954		

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	3	Number of Mission Fields	7
" Congregations in them	3	" Preaching Stations in them	13
" Augmented Charges	3	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	13
" Congregations in them	4	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	20

E. J. KERR, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

20. PRESBYTERY OF ALGOMA

Sault Ste. Marie:—																					
1 St. Paul's	C. G. Boyd, B.A.	163 Wellington St. E.	Dr. J. A. Nattress	28 Herrick St.	2	12	200	4		17	195		3	2	2	358	M	1450	23747	5297	230	32	55	5614	237.15	1
Victoria, West Korah			J. H. Knight	R.R.1, Sault Ste. Marie		4	15			8	35				1	43		350		400			48	448	14.00	
2 Westminster	A. D. Sutherland, B.A.	155 Church St., Sault Ste. Marie.	A. R. Flockhart	526 Wellington St. E., Sault Ste. Marie.	1	12	276	20		25	289	7	27	4	15	538		3200	19122	22357	1136	35	388	23916	1135.85	2
3 Sudbury, Knox	R. J. Stewart, A.B., Th.B.	250 Edmund St., Sudbury.	J. K. MacLennan	43 Lorne St., Sudbury	1	11	175	13	1	14	200	5	14		63	325		2500	13720	4524	201	73	129	4927	208.72	3
Mission Fields																					
1 Bar River			E. Hollingsworth	Bar River											1	36	R H	310		378	31			409	35 20	1
Laird					3	3	16	1		7	46	2														
Sowerby			John McDougall	Sowerby		1										18	M	130		233	10			243	10.00	
						2	13			2	13	1														

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
2 Hawk Junction, North Kirk	W. L. Atkinson	Hawk Junction		
Goudreau				
Cline Lake				
Lochalsh			J. C. MacMillan	Webbwood
3 Webbwood, St. Andrew's			W. J. Darby	Massey
Massey				
Others on Roll				
1 Synodical Missionary	W. M. Mackay, B.A.	Weston, Ont.		
Appendix to Roll				
1 Retired	E. B. Horne, D.D.	Renfrew, Ont.		
				Grand Total, 1937
				Grand Total, 1936
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	3	Total on Roll	4
In Augmented Charges	..	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	5

March 25, 1938.

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

1 Amos, Dromore			Samuel Patterson	R.R. 1, Varney
Normanby, Knox			R. R. Watson	R.R. 3, Durham
2 Arthur, St. Andrew's	J. R. Waldie, M.A., B.D.	Arthur	George Banks	Arthur
Gordonville, St. Andrew's			Robert McTavish	R.R. 2, Kenilworth
3 Drayton, Knox	George Killen	Box 156, Drayton	Thomas Buchan	Moorefield
Moorefield, St. Andrew's			Hugh Campbell	Moorefield
4 Durham	S. W. Hirtle, B.A.	Box 273, Durham	Gordon Geddes	R.R. 3, Durham
Rocky Saugeen, Burns			Rev. S. W. Hirtle	Box 273, Durham
5 Harriston, Knox	T. L. Williams, B.A., B.D.	Harriston	Rev. T. L. Williams	Harriston
6 Holstein, Knox	M. G. Court, B.A.	Holstein	Colin McMillan	Holstein
Fairbairn				
7 Mount Forest, St. Andrew's	W.N.Fergusson (Stated Supply)	Mount Forest	Dr. Andrew Selm	Mount Forest
Conn, Knox			James Herriot	Conn
8 Palmerston, Knox	A. L. Howard, M.A., Ph.D.	Palmerston	A. E. Riddell	Palmerston
9 Rothsay, Calvin	Vacant		J. S. Malcolmson	R.R. 1, Palmerston
Mission Field				
1 Clifford	Supplied by Minister of Knox,	Harriston	David Campbell	Clifford
Appendix to Roll				
1 Retired	Samuel Lawrence	R.R. 2, Whitby, Ont.		
2 Retired	A. J. McMullen	Markham, Ont.		
3 Retired	A. W. K. Herdman	111 Park Ave., Brantford, Ont		
4 Retired	R. Honeyman	Box 152, Durham, Ont		
5	W. N. Fergusson	Mount Forest, Ont.		
				Grand Total, 1937
				Grand Total, 1936
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	6	Total on Roll	6
In Augmented Charges	..	Ministers on Appendix	5
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	11

Durham, Ont., March 28, 1938.

20. PRESBYTERY OF ALGOMA—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
4	..	15	2	2	4	30	3	..	3	7	17	M	520	..	654	..	..	11	665	..	2
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
2	2	23	..	..	5	37	..	..	..	15	16	M	312	..	453	..	..	..	453	10.60	3
..	1	25	..	..	4	25	..	..	..	..	19	..	234	300	309	4	..	..	313	3.50	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	†3240	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
13	48	758	40	3	86	870	18	44	9	104	1370	5	9006	56889	34605	1612	140	631	36988	1655.02	
11	48	715	61	4	80	722	47	52	11	22	1427	5	9044	62902	33033	1289	158	685	35165	1326.51	
2	..	43	..	..	6	148	..	..	..	82	..	..	..	..	1572	323	..	..	1823	328.51	
..	..	..	21	1	..	..	29	8	2	..	57	..	38	6013	..	..	18	54	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	3	Number of Mission Fields	3
" Congregations in them	4	" Preaching Stations in them	9
" Augmented Charges	..	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	6
" Congregations in them	..	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	13

†Salary paid by Board of Missions.

F. W. ACHESON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

21. PRESBYTERY OF SAUGEEN

2	4	56	4	..	7	60	..	..	2	..	132	M	803	..	1353	115	5	8653	1559	130.52	1
..	2	36	3	..	5	47	..	..	..	2	77	..	480	..	588	97	..	140	727	96.53	
2	4	70	8	2	11	107	14	5	1	2	190	M	1250	..	2117	156	23	142	2873	153.94	2
..	3	33	5	..	5	45	..	4	4	..	80	..	550	..	909	35	4	12	1000	36.36	
2	6	64	..	..	10	96	..	3	2	1	144	M	1176	511	1821	104	37	153	2115	104.85	3
..	2	24	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	50	..	427	..	1005	40	5	36	1086	40.00	
2	4	86	5	..	9	75	2	5	2	3	241	R H	1350	600	2840	263	12	263	3378	250.74	4
..	2	25	9	3	5	44	3	..	..	1	61	..	250	..	380	..	..	27	407	2.41	
1	10	76	7	..	8	74	5	..	..	6	215	M	1600	1000	3020	117	..	103	3239	103.00	5
2	6	56	2	..	6	35	..	..	..	10	126	M	1200	..	1783	87	..	103	1973	87.95	6
..	6	29	2	..	6	25	..	..	1	2	59	..	450	500	618	21	15	68	722	21.00	
2	3	32	4	..	6	82	2	6	1	5	94	..	500	300	878	25	122	30	1055	26.19	7
..	5	45	5	2	7	70	9	4	4	..	132	M	750	..	848	31	179	95	1153	37.44	
1	6	103	3	1	9	98	1	3	1	4	261	M	1600	..	3527	183	90	114	3914	182.70	8
1	5	32	4	..	6	42	..	..	2	9	67	M	670	..	670	74	..	30	774	75.00	9
											57	..	400	..	565	1547	..	97	801	208.00	1
*1	3	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
16	71	778	61	8	100	900	36	31	21	46	1986	9	13456	2911	22922	2895	492	1500	26776	1556.63	
16	72	806	68	12	120	835	66	38	26	133	1955	9	13352	3622	23098	1744	115	1675	27209	1761.13	
..	..	..	..	..	..	65	..	..	..	..	31	..	104	..	..	1151	377	..	..	..	
..	1	28	7	4	20	..	30	7	5	87	..	..	..	711	176	..	..	175	433	204.50	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	8	Number of Mission Fields	1
" Congregations in them	14	" Preaching Stations in them	1
" Augmented Charges	1	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	10
" Congregations in them	1	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	16

*Last year's figures.

ROBERT HONEYMAN, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Acton	H. L. Bennie, M.A.	Acton	W. G. Graham	Acton
2	Elmira	Vacant		Douglas Erb	Elmira
	Winterbourne			Gordon Pirie	R.R. 1, West Montrose
	Alma			J. S. Longman	Alma
3	Elora	E. A. Thomson, B.A.	Elora	E. G. Cumming	Elora
4	Fergus, St. Andrew's	A. O. McDonald, M.A., B.D.	Fergus	W. G. Linn	Fergus
	Galt:—				
5	Central	M. B. Davidson, M.A., D.D.	30 Lansdowne Rd. N.	Wm. Wallace	56 Forbes St.
6	Knox's	Jas. D. Smart, M.A., Ph.D.	59 Bruce St.	Edwin S. Hood	35 Spruce St.
7	St. Andrew's	J. J. Lowe	Hespeler	Robert Bryden	108 Cedar St.
	Guelph:—				
8	Knox			S. Koch	20 Stace St.
9	St. Andrew's	David H. Marshall, M.A.	65 Paisley St.	Dr. N. C. Wallace	63 Queen St
10	Hespeler	T. G. Marshall	Hespeler	W. C. Shaw	Hespeler
11	Kitchener, St. Andrew's	F. G. Stewart	22 Maynard St.	E. S. Smythe	58 Water St. N.
12	Nassagaweya	F. Lawson, B.A., B.D.	Campbellville	R. Allen	R.R. 1, Puslinch
	Campbellville			R. C. Menzies	Campbellville
13	Preston	Walter Patterson, M.A.	742 Queen St.	Thos. Hepburn, B.A.	552 King St.
	Doon			Joseph Stoltz	R.R., Kitchener
14	Puslinch, Duff's	J. L. Burgess, M.A.	Morriston	D. G. Hanning	R.R. 1, Puslinch
	Knox			Wm. Sim	R.R. 2, Puslinch
15	Rockwood	Samuel Johnston, B.A.	32 Omar St., Guelph	Wm. Croft	R.R. 1, Campbellville
	Eden Mills			J. A. McAlpine	R.R. 1, Campbellville
	Guelph, St. Paul's			John Milton	112 Surrey St. E.
16	Waterloo			J. C. Cunningham	236 Herbert St.
	Mission Fields				
1	Ayr	Student Supply		Wm. Leithead	R.R. 2, Ayr
2	Baden	Student Supply		J. P. Livingstone	Baden
	†Presbytery of Guelph				
	Appendix to Roll				
1		G. Taylor-Munro	Stamford, Ont.		
2		G. W. Carter, M.A., B.D.	41 Surrey St. E., Guelph, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 14
In Augmented Charges ....
In Ordained Mission Fields ....

Others on Roll ....
Total on Roll 14
Ministers on Appendix 2
Grand Total of Ministers 16

Elora, Ontario, March 23, 1938.

†Reported by Treasurer.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

1	Ancaster	E. Pugh Thomas, Ph.D.	Ancaster	Neil Livingstone	Ancaster
	Alberton			James Morwick	Alberton
2	Burlington	J. Goforth Hornsby	Burlington	W. K. Rae	Burlington
3	Carluke	Ross C. MacLean	R.R., Glanford	Robert Calder	R.R. 1, Ancaster
	Binbrook			S. McKinnell	R.R., Glanford
4	Caledonia	Vacant		David Douglas	Caledonia
5	Chippawa	John T. Hall	Chippawa	Thomas McCredie	R.R. 1, Port Robinson
	Crowland			R. C. Somerville	R.R. 1, Welland
6	Dundas	W. B. Mitchell, B.A.	Dundas	W. J. Mulligan	Dundas

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	16	203	6	..	21	193	12	5	6	10	511	M	2160	.....	4524	865	17	466	5855	1084.37	1
3	5	31	4	..	10	86	2	1	1	4	126	M	750	2225	1783	108	32	71	1994	116.60	2
..	4	32	.....	..	3	24	.....	.....	.....	2	80	.....	400	.....	799	.....	.....	.....	799	.....	
..	4	35	4	..	6	30	.....	.....	.....	4	99	.....	650	.....	1069	.....	.....	56	1125	28.50	
1	12	210	4	..	16	151	10	2	7	3	467	M	1900	.....	4905	628	20	429	5982	638.15	3
1	11	209	12	..	21	200	15	5	9	95	541	M	2000	.....	4724	791	175	439	6129	852.60	4
1	21	425	6	7	35	300	20	10	7	14	955	.....	3240	4200	8523	2730	68	966	12287	2730.00	5
1	32	450	14	..	38	270	24	28	2	45	900	M	3000	3400	9497	2730	94	708	14400	2730.00	6
1	6	80	23	4	48	393	19	6	5	3	413	.....	1800	.....	2388	326	10	196	2920	348.00	7
1	27	400	.....	..	20	175	10	13	17	42	1005	.....	3000	.....	6385	1622	.....	717	8724	1580.16	8
1	22	297	10	..	18	185	11	8	5	7	585	.....	3250	.....	7118	1733	400	794	10045	1737.52	9
1	10	180	7	..	28	223	10	7	2	8	302	M	2200	.....	4444	1081	148	357	6031	1044.00	10
1	18	290	1	..	35	275	15	.....	5	175	538	M	1250	4000	6012	1336	2002	410	9760	1336.60	11
2	9	65	8	..	8	80	6	.....	.....	2	220	M	775	.....	2374	172	.....	118	2664	175.05	12
..	8	103	9	..	13	147	2	2	.....	2	213	.....	925	.....	3013	665	.....	368	4046	680.46	
2	10	192	5	..	23	171	8	9	1	11	323	M	1800	.....	4091	850	51	450	5442	850.10	13
..	3	40	.....	..	5	58	.....	.....	.....	2	42	.....	300	.....	475	7	.....	.....	482	7.00	
2	7	95	6	2	11	100	7	6	1	3	220	M	960	.....	2177	548	.....	303	3028	548.16	14
..	5	44	5	..	7	67	.....	2	.....	.....	80	.....	660	.....	1145	132	12	96	1385	140.72	
3	4	42	.....	..	3	29	2	3	.....	4	90	M	450	1800	796	20	.....	60	816	23.60	15
..	7	34	2	2	5	38	14	3	3	5	84	.....	426	1200	1625	.....	.....	50	1675	8.00	
..	4	71	3	..	13	136	14	8	10	.....	154	.....	500	5000	1062	21	.....	.....	1083	28.15	
1	7	67	9	..	8	70	6	6	.....	4	180	R H	1800	5840	4434	309	62	105	4910	309.70	16
1	2	42	2	..	4	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	84	.....	527	.....	719	22	.....	.....	741	21.57	1
1	.....	22	.....	3	6	40	6	1	1	8	51	.....	845	.....	1213	108	.....	.....	1321	110.95	2
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
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25	254	3659	140	18	405	3464	213	125	82	453	8263	12	35568	27665	85295	16804	3091	7159	113644	17130.96	
25	248	3723	126	21	415	3508	192	150	87	190	8460	13	36104	25607	84163	16869	3204	7216	111609	16651.78	
..	6	.....	14	..	.....	.....	21	.....	.....	263	.....	.....	.....	2058	1132	.....	.....	.....	* 2035	479.18	
.....	.....	64	.....	3	10	44	.....	25	5	.....	197	1	536	.....	.....	65	113	57	.....	.....	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 16
" Congregations in them 23
" Augmented Charges ....
" Congregations in them ....

Number of Mission Fields 2
" Preaching Stations in them 2
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 18
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations . 25

E. A. THOMSON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

23. PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON

2	7	43	2	..	5	31	3	.....	3	2	90	M	850	.....	1607	36	23	104	1770	31.86	1
..	5	43	3	2	12	69	4	.....	2	5	89	.....	950	300	1452	50	.....	70	1572	54.15	
1	6	114	.....	..	8	90	4	10	.....	22	231	M	2000	.....	3472	205	101	96	3874	207.06	2
2	4	50	.....	..	6	45	.....	.....	2	1	106	M	800	.....	1131	61	41	118	1351	73.95	3
..	5	35	.....	..	6	30	.....	13	.....	4	63	M	400	1700	572	29	7	60	668	35.35	
1	12	125	3	1	14	115	12	5	.....	5	337	M	1800	.....	4044	211	.....	180	4435	211.94	4
2	5	61	7	..	16	145	8	4	.....	2	137	M	1300	.....	2029	155	24	188	2396	155.00	5
..	4	30	1	..	7	30	.....	.....	.....	2	63	.....	600	.....	767	75	.....	87	929	75.00	
1	16	215	5	..	23	268	10	20	5	256	317	M	2000	2500	6508	875	1075	459	8917	842.05	6

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
7 Dunnville	Donald McQueen	Dunnville	John H. Riddell	Dunnville
8 Flamboro	C. A. Mullin, B.A.	West Flamboro	Wm. Wood	Rockton
Kirkwall			Charles Hunter	R.R. 3, Puslinch
Sheffield			Stephen Moffatt	Sheffield
9 Fort Erie North	Hugh F. Davidson, B.A.	Fort Erie North	Wm. C. Tait	15 Hyland Ave
St. Andrew's			J. W. Hamilton	108 Niagara Blvd
10 Grimsby	I. B. Kaine, B.A.	Grimsby	D. Thomson	Grimsby
Beamsville			Allan Taylor	Beamsville
Stoney Creek			James Smith	Stoney Creek
11 Hagersville	Kenneth W. House, B.A.	Hagersville	Robert Smith	Hagersville
Hamilton:—				
12 Central	Wm. Barclay, M.A., B.D.	265 Queen S.	H. F. Burkholder	77 Sherman S.
13 Chalmers	W. I. McLean, M.A.	98 Mountain Pk.	Alex. Ramsay	96 Alpine Ave
14 Erskine	R. J. Wilson	332 Locke S.	W. S. McCulloch	39 Sherman N.
15 Knox	S. Banks Nelson, D.D.	49 Young	John Anderson	91 Augusta
16 MacNab St.	H. Beverley Ketchen, D.D.	116 MacNab S.	Alex. J. Paterson	111 Glenfern Ave
17 St. Andrew's	C. L. Cowan, M.A., B.D.	77 Tisdale	S. S. McCandlish	32 Melrose S.
18 St. David's	Robert Allan	43 London N.	Wm. England	31 Munro
19 St. Enoch's	Donald MacInnes, B.Th	132 Province	Geo. R. Wishart	216 London S.
20 St. Paul's	Peter A. Dunn, M.A., B.D.	199 MacNab S.	James Gill, B.A.	45 Forest
21 St. John	N. D. MacDonald, B.D., Ph.D.	91 Myrtle Ave	George S. Nunn	49 Rutherford
22 New Westminster	R. Moynan, B.A., B.Th.	144 Gage Ave	J. C. Gordon	47 Balsam S.
23 Jarvis	G. Lloyd Evans	Jarvis	A. A. Miller	Jarvis
Walpole			Thomas Falls	R.R. 1, Jarvis
24 Niagara-on-Lake	D. T. L. McKerroll, B.A., D.D.	Niagara-on-Lake	Robert G. Dawson	R.R. 2, Niagara-on-Lake
25 Niagara Falls	George L. Douglas	2140 Lundy's Lane	J. W. Marshall, B.A.	827 River Rd
26 Pelham	Stuart Woods, B.A.	R.R. 3, Fenwick	A. J. Miller	R.R. 3, Fenwick
Fenwick, Knox			W. K. Balfour	Fenwick
Louth			Ed. Peacock	R.R. 1, St. Catharines
27 Port Colborne	B. L. Walden, B.A.	Port Colborne	H. R. Appleyard	Humberstone
28 Port Dover	Supplied		A. K. Greenbury	Port Dover
29 St. Catharines	Vacant		J. Colin Blain	Box 363, St. Catharines
30 St. David's	R. G. Stewart	St. David's	Wm. McLaren	R.R. 4, St. Catharines
Merritton			John Cuthbert	Merritton
31 Smithville	Donald H. Currie	Smithville	A. J. Dalrymple	Smithville
Wellandport			W. B. Collver	Wellandport
32 Stamford	G. Taylor-Munro (S.S.)	Stamford	Plumer Dennis	Stamford Centre
Niagara Falls, Knox			John Stirling	Stamford Centre
33 Thorold	W. A. J. Graham	Thorold	William Monro	Thorold
34 Waterdown	M. C. Young, B.A.	Waterdown	John Agnew	Waterdown
Kilbride			S. Agnew	R.R. 1, Milton
Nelson	Student Assistant		W. A. Irving	Tansley
35 Welland	R. A. Cranston, B.A.	29 Bald St.	A. W. Marshall	58 Regent St.
Mission Fields				
Hamilton:—				
1 Calvin	Student		T. MacNaughton	51 Wood St. W
2 Hungarian, etc.	Frank Kovacs	Y.M.C.A.	N. Szabo	121 Birch Ave
3 Italian	St. Andrew's Session		John Gervaso	37 Niagara St.
4 Neighborhood House	Community		Miss M. Sloan, Deaconess	223 Beach Rd.
5 Welland, Hungarian	S. Laky (Supply)	c/o Rev. R. A. Cranston	John Pordo	114 State St.
6 Port Robinson	No regular services			
7 Grassies	Supplied from Smithville			
†Valens S.S.				
Others on Roll				
1 Retired	A. H. Drumm	118 Herkimer St.,	Hamilton, Ont.	
2 Retired	R. Johnston, B.D., D.D.	31 Church St., St.	Catharines, Ont.	
3 Retired	Austin L. Budge, M.A.	39 Cliffe Ave.,	Hamilton, Ont.	

23. PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

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													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	7	115	1	..	6	50	1	2	6	3	181	M	1800	1700	2975	247	25	236	3483	247.35	7
3	7	61	3	..	10	86	..	5	1	..	187	M	1200	.....	2696	453	50	278	3477	453.41	8
..	6	43	6	1	8	43	1	..	1	..	110	..	750	.....	1421	132	45	97	1695	148.19	
..	3	27	..	..	7	65	..	..	..	3	48	..	400	.....	1267	45	38	48	1398	45.00	
2	6	87	11	..	14	146	8	1	4	..	202	M	1440	25000	4600	32	14	64	4710	31.95	9
..	3	..	..	..	5	60	..	..	..	..	34	..	360	800	909	9	..	..	918	9.46	
3	6	65	4	6	7	50	14	17	7	20	162	R H	1350	8100	2950	45	50	80	3125	54.18	10
..	5	50	2	1	8	50	12	6	2	2	126	..	624	2000	876	.....	500	.....	1376	.....	
..	2	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	4	25	..	200	.....	383	.....	.....	.....	383	.....	
1	7	86	3	..	10	100	3	1	..	5	214	M	1700	.....	2663	350	44	517	3574	379.37	11
1	20	350	13	..	29	303	26	26	9	24	767	..	5600	10000	17638	7545	1205	2064	28452	7545.23	12
1	10	160	10	..	30	285	6	9	2	8	260	R H	1500	9500	3256	287	78	178	3799	264.58	13
1	18	390	12	2	32	380	18	14	17	16	669	..	3300	5400	9504	922	1253	603	11282	921.00	14
1	16	486	19	..	19	116	17	12	9	48	999	M	3100	8000	6360	445	765	134	7704	434.07	15
1	13	220	5	..	14	105	4	9	11	10	493	M	3500	.....	10248	2382	763	828	14221	1801.00	16
1	26	465	30	..	30	590	31	10	13	6	909	..	3000	4250	7002	802	370	219	8393	802.12	17
1	26	465	30	..	30	590	31	10	13	6	909	..	1250	6000	2424	140	.....	78	2642	130.00	18
1	10	225	5	5	22	300	5	5	7	3	299	..	1500	35000	4872	115	71	123	5181	143.66	19
1	10	225	5	5	22	300	5	5	7	3	299	..	4500	.....	13266	5377	2037	2314	22997	4714.08	20
1	14	320	35	3	48	500	49	27	5	9	579	..	2700	.....	5406	1155	500	952	8013	1216.90	21
1	15	340	8	2	15	156	20	7	3	10	670	..	2400	51000	7900	25	146	238	8309	25.00	22
1	19	252	7	..	20	230	24	43	15	11	680	..	1100	.....	1851	175	166	184	2376	179.80	23
1	15	336	23	1	40	515	23	16	25	4	733	..	1100	.....	1851	175	.....	40	790	88.49	
2	7	100	14	..	9	120	..	2	..	5	186	M	456	.....	680	70	.....	142	2678	16.72	24
..	5	39	..	..	7	48	..	..	..	..	80	..	1000	1000	2408	96	32	.....	.....	.....	
1	6	36	..	..	6	45	6	8	2	2	132	M	2200	6600	5800	800	500	325	7425	857.83	25
1	13	275	14	8	32	300	42	18	11	20	440	M	700	.....	1303	92	60	110	1565	100.63	26
3	7	50	5	3	11	81	14	1	..	7	109	M	280	.....	590	53	10	37	690	42.00	
..	2	13	..	..	8	31	..	..	2	1	25	..	420	.....	955	46	11	35	1047	50.71	
..	4	33	3	..	6	25	1	..	5	1	65	..	2000	1500	5668	302	150	214	6334	314.44	27
1	8	190	9	2	22	200	19	14	2	5	357	M	520	1800	1626	87	5	92	1810	86.36	28
1	7	76	1	..	9	68	5	6	..	15	148	M	3200	5500	12925	2200	947	519	16591	2201.00	29
1	20	449	24	2	39	580	14	33	8	3	937	M	1000	.....	1797	64	.....	153	2014	53.00	30
2	6	38	4	..	5	21	3	..	..	2	116	M	770	808	1128	8	.....	..	1136	18.56	
..	6	49	1	..	14	80	..	..	..	3	107	M	700	.....	1000	29	15	10	1054	29.00	31
2	5	40	1	2	7	45	..	..	..	4	81	M	150	.....	1370	40	.....	.....	1410	64.84	32
..	3	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	..	800	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	
2	2	35	3	..	9	80	5	4	..	2	93	M	450	.....	491	21	.....	.....	512	28.99	
..	3	20	..	..	9	85	3	..	..	1	35	..	1824	10600	5718	150	.....	143	6011	150.00	33
1	7	165	13	..	11	97	7	2	3	3	347	M	1300	.....	1859	30	.....	136	2025	19.10	34
3	5	50	3	..	8	70	5	7	1	2	116	M	200	.....	261	.....	.....	39	300	.....	
..	2	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	15	..	597	.....	866	35	.....	49	950	17.60	
..	4	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	76	M	2700	1750	6823	1004	150	235	8212	989.00	35
1	9	260	15	8	22	275	16	14	15	10	465	M									
1	6	114	6	..	18	198	3	3	..	..	196	M	520	2300	2107	60	47	23	2237	56.00	1
..	..	..	..	..	6	30	..	..	..	..	155	..	.....	4000	657	10	9	.....	676	10.00	2
5	8	55	..	..	6	31	1	..	..	..	21	..	.....	4400	553	5	.....	.....	558	5.00	3
1	3	10	2	..	4	70	..	..	..	..	..	..	260	.....	57	.....	.....	.....	57	.....	
1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	168	..	.....	.....	558	.....	.....	120	678	.....	5
2	9	45	3	..	2	40	..	..	..	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7
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1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.25	
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SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Appendix to Roll				
1		Albert Cooke	284 Hess St., Hamilton, Ont.		
2		Wm. Rice, B.A.	Ridgeville, Ont.		
3		D. H. MacKay, B.Th.	Toronto, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	3
In S.S. Charges	25	Total on Roll	36
In Augmented Charges	7	Ministers on Appendix	3
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	39

Hamilton, March 17, 1938.

†Reported by Treasurer.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

No.					
	Brantford:—				
1	Alexandra	E. C. McCullagh, B.A.	13 Victoria St.	James Jack	18 Strathcona Ave.
2	Central	G. D. Johnston, M.A.	48 Wellington St.	Wm. Telfer	103 Darling St.
3	Knox	J. W. Whillans	Mount Pleasant	James Richardson	15 Mintern Ave.
	Mount Pleasant			J. B. Scott	R.R. 2, Brantford
	St. George				
4	Embro	Alexander MacLean	Embro	D. M. Ross	R.R. 5, Embro
5	Ingersoll, St. Paul's	H. H. Turner, B.D., Ph.D.	Ingersoll	J. S. Cuthbert, B.A.	Ingersoll
6	Innerkip	W. S. Wright, B.A.	Innerkip	G. A. Smith	R.R. 1, Innerkip
	Ratho			J. M. Arnott	R.R. 1, Bright
7	Norwich	T. E. Kennedy, B.A.	Norwich	H. McKee	Norwich
	Bookton			W. J. Hilliard	La Salette
8	Paris	David Gowdy, B.A., B.D.	Paris	J. W. Hilborn	Paris Station
9	Simcoe, St. Paul's	A. R. Ferguson, M.A.	Simcoe	W. L. Innes	Simcoe
10	Tillsonburg, St. Andrew's	Arthur C. Cochrane, B.A., Ph.D.	Tillsonburg	Colin Brown	R.R. 3, Tillsonburg
	Windham Centre			Geo. Marcell	Simcoe
11	Woodstock, Knox	E. G. Thompson, M.A.	447 Hunter St.	F. E. Ellis	Governor's Rd.
	Others on Roll				
1		James Skene	Norwich, Ont.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		D. O. Rayson	2 Arundale Ave., Toronto, Ont.		
2	Retired	J. L. Simpson	Neston, Cheshire, England		
3	Foreign Missionary	A. E. Toombs	Barwani, Central India		
4		Robert Bruce, B.D.	Ayr, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	8	Total on Roll	12
In Augmented Charges	3	Ministers on Appendix	4
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	16

Woodstock, March 3, 1938.

23. PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	Communicants: Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937 $ c	Number
																						1
																						2
																						3
																						4
63	449	6997	339	49	732	7573	447	374	205	571	14280	31	76021	211508	189452	27582	11327	13019	240375	26435	23	
61	463	6923	349	40	805	7569	514	319	191	565	14241	32	76223	137750	184933	27489	10006	12552	261982	26062	54	
2	..	74	..	9	..	4	..	55	14	6	39	..	..	73758	4519	93	1321	467	..	372	69	
..	14	..	10	..	73	..	67	..	..	..	..	1	202	..	..	..	..	..	21607	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	27	Number of Mission Fields	7
" Congregations in them	38	" Preaching Stations in them	12
" Augmented Charges	8	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	42
" Congregations in them	13	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	63

AUSTIN L. BUDGE, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

24. PRESBYTERY OF PARIS

1	3	200	9	2	22	193	15	13	5	12	493	....	2400	10600	6275	403	5	221	6924	402.74	1
1	24	435	18	3	34	365	25	18	9	11	826	....	3000	....	8458	1800	50	850	11112	1800.00	2
1	6	30	6	..	14	83	1	3	3	1	89	....	525	....	633	31	....	20	684	33.50	3
3	6	30	6	..	14	83	1	3	2	6	72	M	475	....	823	75	....	63	961	65.00	
..	4	28	2	..	8	63	1	3	2	1	18	....	200	....	300	4	5	15	326	7.25	
..	..	8	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	....	..	....	..	..	..	120	2594	70.50	4
..	..	..	..	..	4	40	11	2	..	4	125	M	1600	1500	2404	70	....	1156	10016	1472.53	5
1	8	57	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	
1	12	200	12	5	29	251	10	7	5	52	532	M	2500	5500	6709	2087	64	69	2037	72.85	6
2	6	75	1	2	12	130	2	..	..	5	160	M	1300	....	1883	72	13	30	693	66.00	
..	4	33	3	3	8	35	3	....	1	..	63	....	500	....	608	45	10	165	2277	92.00	7
2	6	61	2	..	11	79	..	..	..	2	120	M	1200	....	2000	112	....	..	346	6.00	
..	2	12	1	..	5	30	..	..	..	2	18	....	200	....	340	6	....	884	10307	946.97	8
1	11	250	11	1	13	190	21	9	8	12	586	M	4002	3000	8194	941	288	543	5886	414.53	9
1	9	148	11	..	13	92	2	6	1	7	346	M	2250	3500	4929	415	....	76	2104	48.70	10
2	5	30	3	..	8	..	..	..	2	2	88	R H	1000	3400	1954	49	24	..	551	6.80	
..	3	20	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	45	....	400	....	544	7	....	..	..	..	
1	25	400	15	..	26	262	18	13	3	11	755	M	3000	6000	10642	1245	300	859	11500	1250.82	11
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																					1
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																					3
													*2266	....							4
16	148	1987	96	16	207	1813	111	74	39	128	4336	9	24552	33500	56696	7362	779	5071	68318	6756.19	
16	155	2030	103	17	218	1794	112	63	60	76	4300	9	22592	31000	54836	7472	682	4683	68195	7319.33	
..	..	..	..	..	..	19	....	11	..	52	36	....	1960	2500	1860	....	97	388	123	....	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	21	..	..	....	..	....	..	110	....	..	..	563.14	
	7	43	7	1	11	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	..	....	..	..	....	..	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	8	Number of Mission Fields	..
" Congregations in them	9	" Preaching Stations in them	11
" Augmented Charges	3	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	11
" Congregations in them	7	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	16

*Salary paid by Board of Missions.

E. G. THOMPSON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Ailsa Craig	Wallace McClean	Ailsa Craig	Lloyd Scafe	R.R. 6, Parkhill
2	Appin	Norman MacDonald	Appin	Alfred Bardwell	Appin
	Melbourne, Guthrie			Donald Campbell	R.R. 1, Melbourne
3	Argyle	J. A. MacLean, D.D.	R.R. 5, Dutton	James McPherson	R.R. 1, West Lorne
	Dunwich Duff's			A. N. McWilliam	R.R. 5, Dutton
4	Belmont, Knox	J. Knox Clark, B.A.	Belmont	Duncan MacVicar	R.R. 1, Belmont
	Yarmouth, St. James			Donald A. Ferguson	R.R. 6, St. Thomas
5	Bethel	J. A. Isaac	R.R. 4, Ilderton	Burt Kennedy	R.R. 4, Ilderton
	Bryanston			Allan Needham	R.R. 4, Ilderton
	Ilderton			Henry Scott	R.R. 4, Komoka
6	Delaware, St. Andrew's	Connected with Chalmers	London	Clifford Eichenberger	Delaware
	North Street	Connected with Elmwood Ave.	London	James Munro	R.R. 2, Lambeth
7	Dutton, Knox	J. M. Dickson	Dutton	William Saunders	Dutton
	Dunwich, Chalmers			Thomas McCallum	R.R. 1, Iona
8	Fingal, Knox	Walter Moffat	Fingal	James Johnston	R.R. 1, St. Thomas
	Port Stanley, St. John's			W. G. Breen	Port Stanley
9	Glencoe	Fred D. Douglas, B.A.	Glencoe	Charles M. Cameron	Glencoe
10	Kintyre	L. M. Sharpe	R.R., Rodney	John D. Scott	R.R. 4, Rodney
	Wardsville, St. John's			James Thomas	R.R. 1, Wardsville
	London:—				
11	Chalmers	W. F. McConnell, B.A., D.D.	72 Wellington St.	H. J. Brown	424 Simcoe St.
12	Elmwood Ave.	F. W. Gilmour, D.D.	111 Elmwood Ave.	C. J. Farr	69 Craig St.
13	Hamilton Road	A. M. Currie, M.A.,B.D.,Ph.D.	610 Hamn Rd.	Charles Pirie	178 St. Julien St.
14	New St. James	James MacKay, B.D., D.D.	332 St. James St.	T. A. Bryan	44 Marley Place
15	St. George's	Donald McKay	674 Highbury Ave.	Archibald Sinclair	Sub. 10, London
	Dorchester			Angus Armour	R.R., Dorchester
16	Mount Brydges, St. Andrew's	W. A. MacWilliam	Mount Brydges	Harry Frank	Mount Brydges
	North Caradoc			John T. Crawford	R.R. 1, Strathroy
	Komoka			William Waugh	Komoka
17	Mosa, Burns	J. C. Davies	R.R. 1, Walkers	Archie D. Leitch	R.R. 2, Walkers
18	South Nissouri	Robert Duncanson, B.A.	R.R., Thorndale	J. A. McKay	R.R. 4, St. Mary's
	Kintore			R. J. Bain	R.R. 3, Thamesford
19	New Glasgow, Knox	Charles Carnegy	Rodney	D. A. Scott	Rodney
	Rodney, St. John's				
	St. Thomas:—				
20	Alma Street	D. C. Soules, M.A., B.D.	853 Talbot St.		
21	Knox	J. M. Laird, B.D.	50 Gladstone Ave.	Henry Wing	104 Metcalf St
	Forest Ave.				
22	Wallacetown	James H. Moore, B.A.	Wallacetown	A. D. McKillop	Wallacetown
	West Lorne, Knox			A. J. McColl	West Lorne
	Mission Field				
1	Knollwood Park	Student		John Fairweather	R.R., Thorndale
	†Presbytery of London				
	Others on Roll				
1	Retired	John Elder	10 Christie St.,London		
2	Retired	John Hosie	8 Curtis St., St. Thomas		
3	Retired Clerk of Presbytery	John McNair, B.A., B.D., D.D.	8 Christie St., London		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		C. C. Bradford, LL.B.	Devernon, Ill., U.S.A.		
2		M. F. Cree, B.A.	Ailsa Craig		
3		John Gibson, B.A.	286 Dundas Crescent.	Toronto	
4		John Fletcher, B.A.	Melbourne, Ont.		
5		Frank Hutchison	141 Shuter St., Toronto		
6		G. S. Ritchie	Melbourne, Ont.		
7		A. M. Shannon	394 Grosvenor St., London		
8		William Quigley, B.A., B.D.	Nipigon, Ont.		
9		F. Oliver	Thorndale, Ont		

Grand Total, 1937
Grand Total, 1936
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 16
In Augmented Charges 4
In Ordained Mission Fields ....
Others on Roll 3
Total on Roll 23
Ministers on Appendix 9
Grand Total of Ministers 32

London, March 15, 1938.

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FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	6	89	3	1	10	40	2	4	6	2	172	M	1600	800	2150	352	.....	251	2753	361.58	1
2	4	37	.....	.....	6	50	.....	1	.....	1	88	M	900	300	1102	77	.....	132	1311	77.00	2
..	1	12	.....	.....	5	20	.....	2	.....	11	30	.....	400	.....	675	7	.....	133	85	6.52	
2	5	40	.....	.....	8	66	.....	.....	.....	3	90	.....	800	.....	1380	110	55	139	1684	116.73	3
..	5	54	1	.....	6	59	1	.....	4	4	99	M	1000	.....	1890	194	40	226	2350	185.00	
2	6	81	2	.....	14	103	.....	2	3	9	159	M	900	.....	1430	250	10	154	1844	257.29	4
..	4	42	1	.....	1	23	.....	2	.....	12	80	.....	711	.....	820	13	5	51	889	13.00	
3	3	22	.....	.....	8	48	.....	2	.....	15	71	M	600	.....	1655	80	.....	182	1917	106.19	5
..	3	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	33	.....	375	.....	394	4	.....	8	406	6.00	
..	3	15	2	.....	4	33	.....	.....	.....	9	32	.....	225	.....	395	2	.....	67	464	2.00	
..	3	20	.....	.....	5	15	.....	1	.....	1	39	.....	280	.....	303	.....	55	.....	358	.....	6
1	2	30	1	.....	6	50	.....	1	1	.....	53	M	600	.....	684	92	195	152	1023	92.30	
1	4	87	1	.....	9	76	2	2	.....	3	161	M	1600	.....	3113	284	25	277	3699	290.10	7
2	6	25	.....	.....	5	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	500	.....	525	40	20	105	690	23.00	
..	2	75	1	5	8	76	7	4	3	3	167	M	1200	.....	2332	124	.....	186	2642	100.50	8
2	7	75	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
..	6	35	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	1	3	81	M	600	.....	804	28	322	45	1200	45.21	
1	9	150	1	1	18	115	1	4	3	1	358	M	1800	.....	3116	237	141	295	3797	243.90	9
2	5	52	.....	.....	6	35	.....	.....	.....	1	120	M	600	.....	1084	53	43	122	1302	58.60	10
..	2	18	.....	.....	4	20	.....	.....	.....	1	29	.....	400	.....	596	38	25	.....	659	38.00	
1	6	124	4	..	13	115	3	8	4	2	228	.....	.....	3750	3533	142	257	139	4071	140.00	11
1	12	120	5	..	9	89	16	16	16	2	333	M	1800	19417	5675	425	1257	143	7500	424.55	12
1	8	130	5	..	25	190	7	6	8	5	236	M	1800	2000	4100	203	.....	212	4515	203.15	13
1	28	450	6	1	40	306	25	44	23	50	911	M	3700	.....	10454	2982	1757	929	16123	2972.56	14
2	7	110	1	1	15	115	6	6	9	7	258	M	1400	4450	3545	240	15	221	4021	224.05	15
..	4	52	2	.....	8	38	.....	6	4	3	108	.....	700	.....	1500	163	20	105	1788	150.00	
3	3	30	3	..	8	45	.....	1	1	1	62	M	442	.....	627	20	.....	63	710	21.97	16
..	3	32	.....	.....	8	31	.....	.....	.....	1	51	.....	642	.....	770	98	.....	188	1056	115.73	
..	2	32	.....	.....	5	39	.....	2	.....	3	39	.....	517	.....	612	16	.....	69	697	20.09	
..	2	32	.....	.....	8	88	1	.....	1	1	197	M	1600	.....	2200	129	44	372	2745	126.38	17
1	8	90	.....	.....	8	88	1	.....	1	1	197	M	1600	.....	2200	129	44	372	2745	126.38	17
2	5	38	3	..	10	80	7	5	1	2	92	M	750	.....	1041	79	.....	70	1190	79.47	18
..	4	17	.....	.....	5	38	1	.....	2	1	34	.....	500	1000	466	31	.....	69	566	40.50	
2	3	30	5	..	9	54	1	.....	1	15	37	.....	400	.....	487	14	53	50	604	.....	19
..	4	100	1	1	13	79	11	6	3	2	191	M	1200	.....	1445	120	136	175	1876	120.15	
1	9	124	25	3	19	120	11	2	4	5	387	.....	2300	.....	3624	177	23	113	3987	114.52	20
1	20	430	9	10	24	165	42	20	12	34	1040	R H	3100	4000	12136	1900	1549	649	16437	1155.50	21
..	..	..	.....	.....	10	74	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2	4	46	.....	.....	7	50	1	3	1	2	108	M	828	418	1758	88	.....	141	1987	70.40	22
..	5	33	1	..	6	40	.....	.....	.....	2	95	.....	397	1360	774	48	.....	96	918	47.99	
1	2	35	3	1	8	90	7	....	2	....	35	M	312	6100	913	37	15	20	985	37.20	1
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38	221	2923	87	24	373	2705	152	154	113	233	6329	22	37479	43595	80108	8897	6062	6349	101529	8097.13	
38	221	2913	132	31	395	2703	170	129	89	186	6418	22	39586	40811	80145	8856	5031	7236	101651	9126.74	
..	....	10	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	25	24	47	.....	.....	.....	2784	.....	41	1031	.....	.....	.....	
..	....	.....	45	7	22	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	89	.....	2107	.....	37	.....	.....	887	122	1029.61	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 17
" Congregations in them 28
" Augmented Charges 4
" Congregations in them 9

Number of Mission Fields 1
" Preaching Stations in them 1
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 23
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations . 38

JOHN McNAIR, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Amherstburg, St. Andrew's	A. Neil Miller, B.A., B.D.	Amherstburg	Thos. Lowe	Amherstburg
	Windsor, Knox			W. J. Dalton	339 Randolph, Windsor
2	Blytheswood	Supplied from Leamington		Howard Reid	Blytheswood
3	Chatham, First	M.Scott Fulton, M.A., B.D., D.D	402 King St. W.	Wm. McK. Ross	Queen St. Extension
4	Dresden	F. R. Anderson, B.A., B.D.	Dresden	T. E. Laird	Dresden
	Rutherford			Bruce McNabb	R.R. 2, Dresden
5	Duart	G. G. Treanor, B.Th., D.Th.	Duart	Archie McLaren	R.R. 1, Highgate
	Turin			Chas. Addeman	R.R. 3, Ridgetown
6	Leamington, Knox	J. L. W. McLean, M.A.	Leamington	G. A. Campbell	Leamington
7	Puce, St. Andrew's	Wm. Moore, B.A.	R.R. 1, Belle River	J. G. Crozier	R.R. 1, Belle River
	Essex, St. Andrew's			Geo. Ebbinghaus	Essex
8	Ridgetown, Mount Zion	Norman MacKay	Ridgetown	Neil C. Campbell	R.R. 2, Ridgetown
	Blenheim			John Henderson	Blenheim
9	Thamesville, St. James	J. C. Herbison	Thamesville	J. S. Howat	Thamesville
	Kent Bridge, Knox			Rev. J. C. Herbison	Thamesville
10	Tilbury East, Valetta	Erik Larsen (Stated Supply)	R.R. 1, Merlin	W. R. Gardiner	R.R. 1, Merlin
	Dover, New St. Andrew's			Alex. Ross	Eberts
11	Wallaceburg, Knox	E. A. Wright	Wallaceburg	W. H. Colwell	Wallaceburg
	Windsor:—				
12	St. Andrew's	H. M. Paulin, B.A., D.D.	425 Victoria Ave.	Andrew W. Reid	2002 Willistead Cres., Walkerville.
13	Hungarian	E. F. Molnar, Ph.D.	156 Elliot St.	J. C. Little	232 Brady Blvd., Riverside.
14	Riverside	C. A. McRae, Ph.D.	Apt. 3C, Argyle Rd., Windsor.	J. C. Little	232 Brady Blvd., Riverside.
	Appendix to Roll				
1		Clement Upham	3802 Orange Ave., San	Diego, Calif., U.S.A.	
2		W. T. McKenzie	Paris, Ont.		
3		J. F. Goforth, M.A.	Knox College, Toronto		
4		W. W. McRae, B.A.	4211 Tyler Ave., Detr	oit, Mich., U.S.A.	
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	9	Total on Roll	12
In Augmented Charges	2	Ministers on Appendix	4
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	16

Thamesville, Ont., March 24, 1938.

26. PRESBYTERY OF CHATHAM

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed: By Certificate	Communicants Removed: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	5	60	2	..	5	60	5	2	....	7	98	M	700	1900	1925	59	.....	106	2090	60.20	1
..	6	138	2	1	22	165	5	4	2	11	172	..	1100	2100	2580	138	.....	116	2834	52.01	
1	3	16	3	1	5	54	4	1	1	....	27	M	220	.....	405	50	3	74	532	75.00	2
1	20	400	13	3	25	327	37	29	6	42	785	M	3000	5800	8174	1541	173	679	10567	1540.65	3
2	8	130	8	1	10	90	7	5	3	7	155	M	1400	600	2516	116	50	163	2845	64.00	4
..	4	28	....	3	3	25	2	.....	.....	8	40	..	300	1450	461	12	3	.....	476	11.40	
2	7	70	1	..	9	90	7	.....	.....	3	120	M	934	.....	1893	40	.....	192	2125	55.00	5
..	4	29	2	..	4	30	.....	.....	1	.....	35	..	466	.....	629	6	.....	35	670	3.00	
1	9	177	15	1	16	184	15	4	7	4	378	M	2000	5350	5850	896	225	632	7603	922.00	6
2	4	65	4	1	5	21	1	29	2	1	101	M	1100	3500	1603	94	.....	81	1778	90.00	7
..	2	28	1	..	5	26	4	.....	.....	.....	33	..	400	.....	663	12	.....	.....	675	14.34	
2	4	102	23	10	12	81	13	9	.....	.....	142	M	1200	.....	3356	300	9	325	3990	270.00	8
..	2	24	1	..	.....	.....	3	3	.....	1	38	..	420	.....	551	92	.....	.....	643	91.68	
2	5	90	4	2	10	76	3	2	....	17	174	M	1440	.....	2997	510	47	176	3730	510.00	9
..	3	20	....	3	7	36	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	..	360	.....	700	43	.....	.....	743	42.50	
2	6	65	1	..	12	120	.....	.....	.....	4	159	M	1025	.....	2135	157	35	134	2461	153.73	10
..	4	18	....	..	3	25	.....	.....	1	.....	34	..	475	.....	893	11	.....	107	1011	13.00	
1	8	155	12	..	20	200	3	.....	.....	6	342	M	1800	.....	3724	495	15	283	4517	471.44	11
1	20	500	78	5	51	690	49	48	60	25	1774	M	4500	31700	17111	3257	500	1531	22399	1773.18	12
1	2	47	6	..	2	46	13	2	....	19	130	R H	203	10500	713	43	.....	.....	765	.....	13
1	8	69	5	..	20	205	3	5	13	....	143	....	3000	.....	2934	.....	.....	18	2952	.....	14
..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2
..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3
..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4
21	134	2231	181	31	246	2551	174	143	96	155	4914	13	26043	62900	61813	7872	1060	4652	75406	6213.13	
21	132	2155	153	18	255	2234	111	99	38	233	4843	13	26082	65400	60140	7057	2018	4810	74024	5362.62	
..	2	76	28	13	....	317	63	44	58	..	71	....	....	....	1673	815	.....	.....	1382	850.51	
..	....	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....	78	....	....	39	2500	....	....	958	158	....	....	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	11	Number of Mission Fields	..
" Congregations in them	16	" Preaching Stations in them	..
" Augmented Charges	3	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	14
" Congregations in them	5	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	21

J. C. HERBISON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Alvinston, Guthrie	R. T. Rutherdale, B.A.	Alvinston	Andrew Gray	Inwood
	Cameron, Euphemia			Neil Campbell	R.R. 1, Newbury
2	Arkona	A. G. Scott	Arkona		
	Thedford, Knox			Adam Carmichael	Thedford
	Warwick, Knox			G. G. Baird	R.R., Watford
3	Brigden	D. W. Oswald	Brigden, Ont.	David McDonald	Brigden
	Bear Creek			James McBean	R.R. 1, Mooretown
4	Centre Road	Stated Supply		Neil Johnson	R.R. 7, Parkhill
	West Adelaide			David Wilson	R.R. 3, Kerwood
5	Corunna, St. Andrew's	W. R. Adams, B.A.	Corunna	Dr. R. McGregor	Corunna
	Courtright, Stewart			Hugh Leitch	Courtright
	Mooretown, St. Andrew's			Robert Boulton	R.R. 1, Mooretown
	Moore, Knox			Charles Nesbitt	R.R. 1, Mooretown
6	Forest, St. James	W. B. MacOdrum, B.A.	Forest	Robert Horne	Forest
7	Nairn	T. W. Mills	R.R. 1, Ailsa Craig	Francis Thomas	R.R. 1, Ailsa Craig
	Beechwood				
8	Petrolia, St. Andrew's	R. J. Hay, B.A.	Petrolia	R. J. Strauss	Petrolia
9	Point Edward	D. Ritchie, B.A.	Point Edward	James McMillan	Point Edward
10	Sarnia, St. Andrew's	J. M. Macgillivray, B.A.	254 N. Brock St.	Alex. C. Rose	359 Cromwell St.
11	Sarnia, Paterson Memorial	James Milroy, M.A.	241 S. Russell St.	A. D. McMurtrie	302 George St.
	Camlachie			Wm. Allen	Camlachie
12	Strathroy, St. Andrew's	H. D. Cameron, B.A.	Strathroy	Mac. McKellar	Strathroy
13	Watford	F. McAvoy, B.A., B.Th.	Watford	Russell Duncan	Watford
	Brooke, Chalmers			Nevin McVicar	R.R. 2, Alvinston
	Napier, St. Andrew's			Hector McLean	R.R. 2, Alvinston
14	Wyoming, St. Andrew's	Thomas Fraser	Wyoming	Stewart Smith	R.R. 1, Wyoming
	Aberarder, St. John's			Archie McKinlay	R.R. 2, Camlachie
	Mission Fields				
1	Dawn	Supplied from Brigden		Fred Sands	Tupperville
2	Oil Springs	Supplied from Petrolia		A. W. Parks	Oil Springs
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Retired	Thomas Dodds, B.A.	Corunna		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	9	Total on Roll	11
In Augmented Charges	2	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	12

Alvinston, March 7, 1938.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

1 Atwood	J. M. McCurlie	R.R. 4, Atwood	J. M. Dickson	R.R. 1, Atwood
2 Avonton	Samuel Kerr, B.A., B.D.	R.R. 2, St. Paul's	George Armstrong	R.R. 2, St. Paul's
Avonbank, Motherwell			Alexander McIntosh	R.R. 5, St. Mary's
3 Cromarty	James Reidie	Cromarty	James Scott	Cromarty
4 Harrington, Knox	Oliver E. Mann	R.R. 3, Embro	James A. MacKay	R.R. 2, Embro
Burns, Zorra			Rev. O. E. Mann	R.R. 2, Embro
5 Listowel, Knox	W. E. Kelley, B.A., B.D.	Listowel	E. G. McDonald, B.A.	Listowel
6 Milverton	John Elder	Milverton	James Hamilton	Milverton
North Mornington			J. K. Mayberry	R.R. 1, Britton
7 Mitchell, Knox	A. Raeburn Gibson, B.A., B.D.	Mitchell	Wm. Potts, Jr.	Mitchell
8 Monkton, Knox	J. K. West, B.A., B.D.	Monkton	Milton Holman	Monkton

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: Received By Certificate	Communicants: Removed By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	7	129	8	2	9	72	8	2	1	7	168	M	1575		2280	67		143	2490	76.36	1
	3	15	1	..	3	12	1	..	..	..	37		225		337	6		54	397	6.50	
3	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	9	M	200		220	20		15	255	20.00	2
..	5	46	..	..	9	60	..	..	..	1	85	..	800		1194	81		98	1373	95.65	
..	5	25	1	..	8	33	1	..	..	1	47	..	500		605	16		76	697	37.20	
2	4	40	..	..	9	67	..	..	4	2	68	M	562		863	154		49	1066	213.23	3
..	5	29	..	..	12	30	..	..	..	1	67	..	675		761	129	59	184	1133	168.63	
2	3	35	..	4	6	35	9	4	..	6	90	M	550		918	143		78	1139	143.00	4
..	3	28	5	..	8	50	1	..	..	1	52	..	550		733	23		70	826	27.25	
4	3	48	3	..	9	62	3	5	..	..	75	M	475		701	22		105	828	20.38	5
..	3	17	..	..	5	30	..	1	..	..	31	..	325		329	4		..	333	..	
..	3	26	1	..	7	33	2	1	..	..	35	..	325		387	9		58	454	8.73	
..	3	30	..	..	5	26	4	..	..	..	60	..	475		591	32		..	623	38.57	
1	9	103	4	6	11	99	22	8	3	9	218	M	1600		2447	368		217	3032	378.35	6
2	3	35	..	1	9	51	1	1	..	2	62	M	550		1140	..	17	56	1213	10.00	7
..	3	50	..	..	8	53	1	..	1	1	67	..	650		1353	140		135	1628	139.12	
1	7	160	10	5	16	114	2	6	3	..	275	M	1800		3986	280	210	170	4646	280.74	8
1	2	60	3	1	6	70	2	1	3	1	65	M	702		1048	70	16	59	1193	70.50	9
1	16	431	22	7	27	307	28	40	7	21	731	M	3200	5500	13008	2456	370	1108	16942	2300.00	10
2	6	220	18	7	45	277	22	23	7	11	269	M	1200	4200	6734	296	53	85	7168	212.81	11
..	6	32	2	..	5	25	5	4	..	..	72	..	600		1314	25		57	1396	25.00	
1	8	200	4	..	19	95	6	1	9	10	286	M	1940		3949	519	373	371	5212	518.00	12
3	6	34	..	..	4	20	..	..	2	..	77	M	650	300	1849	38		118	2005	37.68	13
..	4	37	..	..	2	25	..	..	2	..	46	..	500		660	23		51	734	23.80	
..	4	51	..	..	3	40	..	..	..	1	59	..	650		810	26	275	99	1210	26.15	
2	8	73	5	..	10	45	6	4	6	2	137	M	1100	4000	3001	278	75	242	3596	277.75	14
..	5	31	1	..	6	29	1	..	..	1	61	..	700		884	58	62	238	1242	63.25	
											38	..	400		382	20		402	20.00		1
1	3	15	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	50	..	640		650	40	20	710	..		2
1	2	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..		
																					1
29	139	2032	89	33	261	1760	125	101	48	81	3337	14	24119	14000	53134	5343	1530	3936	63943	5238.65	
29	127	2033	67	21	277	1721	87	81	45	203	3120	14	24381	18685	50998	5155	1509	3514	61176	4965.51	
..	12	..	22	12	..	39	38	20	3	..	217	..	..	262	4685	2136	188	21	422	2767	273.14	
..	..	1	..	..	16	..	..	..	..	122	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	12	Number of Mission Fields	2
" Congregations in them	23	" Preaching Stations in them	2
" Augmented Charges	2	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	16
" Congregations in them	4	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	29

ROBERT T. RUTHERDALE, *Clerk of Presbytery*

28. PRESBYTERY OF STRATFORD

1	10	156	8	..	16	165	11	5	..	5	396	M	1800		4367	441	103	394	5305	384.15	1
2	5	90	1	1	12	110	20	1	3	11	196	M	1280		2623	369	162	358	3512	377.25	2
..	5	28	2	..	6	52	..	2	..	1	88	..	520		736	156	178	171	1241	156.02	
1	4	65	2	..	10	81	3	3	1	..	135	M	1137		1827	112	..	144	2083	127.60	3
2	5	52	1	..	6	56	9	..	..	3	102	M	840		1192	92	..	59	1343	91.35	4
..	4	37	2	..	7	45	10	..	..	..	69	..	560		650	20	..	75	745	27.93	
1	12	305	23	..	13	234	30	9	16	20	583	M	2000	8452	9515	1450	..	294	11259	1460.00	5
2	7	107	10	1	12	72	12	8	1	3	272	M	1700		5470	358	..	425	6253	364.10	6
..	8	63	8	..	12	169	7	..	2	2	124	..	900		1414	76	..	119	1609	76.00	
1	9	190	6	..	15	161	7	5	..	32	299	M	2000		4006	678	..	328	5012	682.56	7
1	4	125	13	3	12	140	5	1	3	19	209	M	1300		1947	82	..	155	2184	80.10	8

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	St. Mary's:—				
9	First Church	Vacant		F. J. Sanderson	St. Mary's
10	Knox	A. W. Hare, B.A.	St. Mary's	Duncan McVannel	R.R. 3, St. Mary's
	Stratford:—				
11	Knox	Charles S. Oke	21 Caledonia St	A. T. Jeffrey	21 Centre St.
12	St. Andrew's	J. N. McFaul, B.A.	46 Church St	S. J. Mallion	74 St. Vincent St.
13	Shakespeare	David McMaster Kerr	Shakespeare	H. Herold	Shakespeare
	Tavistock			H. G. Pepler	Tavistock
	St. Andrew's, N. Easthope			James A. Innes	R.R. 3, New Hamburg
	North Easthope			D. M. Kerr	Shakespeare
	Others on Roll				
1	Clerk of Presbytery	Wm. J. West, M.A.	12 Trow Ave., Stratford, Ont.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Retired	T. J. Robinson, B.A.	Douglas St., Stratford, Ont.		
2	Retired	T. J. Murdock, Ph.D.	967 Logan Ave., Toronto, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	2
In S.S. Charges	12	Total on Roll	15
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	2
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	17

Stratford, February 28, 1938.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

No.					
1	Auburn, Knox	A. M. Boyle, B.A.	Blyth	John Wilson	R.R. 1, Auburn
	Belgrave			Jas. A. Scott	Belgrave
	Blyth, Old St. Andrew's			Jas. Dodds	Blyth
	Smith's Hill			A. Errington	R.R. 5, Goderich
2	Clinton	Gordon A. Peddie, B.A.	Clinton	R. McKenzie	Clinton
	Bayfield, Knox			M. Ross	Bayfield
3	Exeter, Caven	D. C. Hill, B.A., B.D.	Exeter	Jos. Senior	Exeter
4	Goderich, Knox	D. J. Lane, B.A.	Goderich	H. J. A. MacEwan	Goderich
5	Hensall, Carmel	Wm. A. Young, B.Sc.A.	Hensall	Jas. W. Bonthron	Hensall
6	Seaforth, First	Vacant		Malcolm McKellar	Seaforth
	Others on Roll				
1		J. H. Barnett, Ph.D.	Goderich, Ont.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		C. R. Ashdown, M.A., Ph.D.	Gooderham, Ont.		
2		James McIlroy	Orangeville, Ont.		
3		T. Wardlaw Taylor, M.A., Ph.D., D.D.	Goderich, Ont.		
4		H. C. Feast	781 Main St. East, Hamilton, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	3	Total on Roll	6
In Augmented Charges	2	Ministers on Appendix	4
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	10

Exeter, March 8, 1938.

28. PRESBYTERY OF STRATFORD—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	Communicants: Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
														$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	12	98	6	..	16	71	3	2	2	1	154	M	2000	3000	4320	371	.....	352	5043	288.55	9
1	6	200	6	..	10	124	....	6	4	48	400	M	1600	1700	2676	61	100	333	3170	66.36	10
1	23	430	10	..	34	331	33	24	19	30	1085	..	3200	10000	12767	2743	212	1089	16811	2758.41	11
1	22	325	18	..	29	218	9	4	11	18	750	M	2000	8000	6276	1037	100	700	8113	1021.30	12
4	4	30	....	3	9	60	8	5	3	5	85	M	625	.....	1253	288	.....	107	1618	252.87	13
..	4	13	.....	..	9	26	1	1	1	1	32	....	330	.....	488	24	.....	29	541	36.04	
..	1	17	.....	..	4	10	4	.....	.....	.....	46	....	403	.....	549	23	18	115	705	37.50	
..	1	17	1	..	5	20	....	.....	.....	1	47	....	411	.....	605	123	.....	198	926	130.00	
																						1
																						1
																						2
19	146	2348	117	8	237	2145	172	77	66	200	5072	12	24806	31152	62681	8504	873	5445	77473	8418.09		
19	146	2315	101	7	230	1733	71	64	38	180	5090	12	24848	28052	53339	8102	5752	5283	72465	7978.87		
..	.....	33	16	1	7	412	101	13	28	20	.....	.....	.....	3100	9342	402	.....	162	5008	439.22		
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	....	42	.....	.....	.....	4879	.....	.....	.....		

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	12	Number of Mission Fields	..
" Congregations in them	18	" Preaching Stations in them	..
" Augmented Charges	1	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	13
" Congregations in them	1	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	19

WM. J. WEST, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

29. PRESBYTERY OF HURON

4	5	30	2	..	6	35	.....	.....	2	33	73	....	640	777	1130	35	.....	117	1282	34.52	1	
..	3	27	2	..	7	23	....	2	....	3	59	....	455	.....	720	45	.....	68	833	45.00		
..	3	22	.....	..	4	20	....	3	.....	.....	45	R H	539	2500	1157	77	8	140	792	48.17		
..	5	21	.....	..	15	50	.....	.....	.....	6	45	....	470	.....	704	44	44	.....	2137	127.60	2	
2	6	65	1	..	7	30	.....	.....	.....	2	133	M	1000	.....	1886	105	21	125	397	3.65		
..	5	15	4	..	3	10	....	1	.....	2	39	....	300	496	320	.....	.....	77	3109	276.00	3	
1	4	56	3	..	11	55	6	5	9	1	145	M	1350	.....	2683	251	.....	175	9539	1860.15	4	
1	20	300	16	..	20	325	7	13	12	158	629	M	2500	9700	6268	1860	69	1342	4234	275.45	5	
1	10	123	8	..	13	109	11	10	2	8	287	M	1800	.....	3628	272	105	229	5237	630.68	6	
1	7	202	.....	..	10	63	.....	.....	2	10	513	M	2000	.....	4072	593	164	408				
																						1
																						1
																						2
																						3
																						4
10	68	861	36	..	96	720	24	34	27	223	1968	6	11054	13473	22568	3282	411	2681	28942	3377.22		
10	73	915	44	3	94	650	28	30	18	37	2128	6	11255	13363	22530	3368	264	3158	29409	3260.00		
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	70	.....	4	9	186	.....	.....	.....	110	38	.....	147	.....	.....	117.22		
..	5	54	8	3	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	160	....	201	.....	.....	86	.....	477	467	.....		

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	4	Number of Mission Fields	..
" Congregations in them	7	" Preaching Stations in them	..
" Augmented Charges	2	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	6
" Congregations in them	3	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	10

D. C. HILL, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Ashfield	J. K. MacGillivray, M.A.	Lucknow	Duncan Cameron	R.R. 3, Lucknow
2	Bluevale	J. R. Greig	Bluevale	Archie Messer	R.R. 1, Bluevale
	Eadies			Peter McDougall	R.R. 1, Wingham
3	Brussels	Vacant		Duncan McDonald	Brussels
4	Cranbrook, Knox	W. A. Williams	R.R. 3, Brussels	Rev. W. A. Williams	R.R. 3, Brussels
	Ethel				
5	Kincardine, Knox	S. M. Scott, B.A.	Kincardine	Alex. Johnston	Kincardine
6	Kinloss, South	G. M. Young	R.R. 5, Lucknow	John S. MacDonald	R.R. 6, Lucknow
	Kinlough			Ben. Scott	R.R. 3, Ripley
7	Lucknow	C. H. MacDonald	Lucknow	James Pickering	Lucknow
	Dungannon			Robert Davidson	Dungannon
8	Molesworth	Arthur Leggett	R.R. 1, Listowel	Joseph Cumming	R.R. 1, Listowel
	Gorrie			Dr. James Armstrong	Gorrie
9	Ripley	Vacant		A. D. Martyn	R.R. 4, Ripley
	Bervie				
10	Teeswater	J. D. Wilkie, B.A.	Teeswater	J. J. Reid	Teeswater
	Belmore			John Darling	Belmore
11	Whitechurch	John Pollock, B.A.	Whitechurch	J. F. Davidson	R.R. 3, Wingham
	Calvin			John McGee	R.R. 3, Wingham
	Langside			Walter Ferguson	R.R., Teeswater
12	Wingham	Kenneth MacLean, B.A.	Wingham	H. F. McGee	Wingham
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	10	Total on Roll	10
In Augmented Charges	..	Ministers on Appendix	..
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	10

Whitechurch, April 7, 1938.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

1 Allenford	Vacant		Geo. C. Wain	Allenford
Elsinore			Chas. Doll	R.R. 1, Allenford
2 Burgoyne	Vacant		John Chapman	R.R. 1, Southampton
Dunblane				
3 Chatsworth	S. Moore Gordon, B.A., B.D.	Chatsworth	Allan Findlay	Chatsworth
Dornock			Wm. Smith	Dornock
Williamsford			R. L. Aitcheson	R.R. 3, Chatsworth
4 Chesley	James Fleming	Chesley	S. M. Ewart	Chesley
5 Glamis	Student Supply		Thos. W. Thompson	R.R. 2, Tiverton
6 Hanover	H. G. Cleghorn	Hanover	Walter Laidlaw	Hanover
Ayton			Dr. J. L. Easton	Ayton
7 Owen Sound	J. T. Strachan, B.A., B.D.	1052-3rd Ave. W., Owen Sound.	Lyman Brown, B.A.	970-3rd Ave. W., Owen Sound.
8 Paisley	A. H. Wilson	Paisley	Alex. McTavish	Paisley
Salem			John T. Buchanan	R.R. 3, Paisley
9 Port Elgin	Vacant		R. H. Muir	Port Elgin
North Bruce			Archibald K. Bell	Port Elgin
10 Southampton	Vacant		D. E. MacVittie	Southampton
11 Tara	P. Reith	Tara	G. A. Cunningham	Tara
12 Tiverton	A. MacIver, B.D.	Tiverton	Ewart MacKenzie	Tiverton
13 Walkerton			Norman Shaw	Walkerton
14 Wiarton	Horace Kaye, B.Th	Wiarton	John Macaulay	Wiarton

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No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	6	87	3	..	8	62	2	..	1	4	177	M	1500	.....	1777	310	89	184	2360	309.71	1
2	4	48	1	2	6	32	2	3	5	3	117	M	1018	1000	1562	150	.....	108	1820	150.00	2
..	6	27	1	..	6	5	..	3	1	3	67	..	582	.....	1619	102	.....	75	1796	101.80	
..	6	170	7	..	17	123	7	..	3	9	371	M	1800	.....	2617	473	.....	295	3385	529.07	3
1	3	44	5	..	4	51	..	3	1	1	102	M	900	.....	1296	86	.....	114	1496	84.00	4
2	4	44	5	..	4	51	..	3	1	1	102	M	900	.....	1296	86	.....	114	1496	108.27	
..	4	35	3	..	6	46	2	..	..	..	94	..	900	475	1385	108	.....	65	1558	1028.24	5
..	9	245	15	..	19	204	3	6	5	11	393	M	1800	.....	4811	1130	56	598	6595	83.90	6
1	9	245	15	..	19	204	3	6	5	11	393	M	1800	.....	4811	1130	56	598	6595	1028.24	
2	5	45	2	..	3	40	2	1	2	..	68	M	1000	.....	1258	85	12	104	1459	83.90	6
..	5	45	2	..	3	40	2	1	2	..	68	M	1000	.....	1258	85	12	104	1459	87.00	
..	3	25	2	..	5	37	..	..	..	22	45	..	500	.....	575	87	10	62	734	87.00	
1	12	140	9	2	15	140	19	2	..	8	63	M	1800	.....	3095	954	60	419	4528	953.65	7
2	4	77	8	..	12	95	3	4	2	19	154	M	1600	.....	3359	650	.....	234	4243	656.85	4
..	3	25	8	3	7	33	6	2	..	6	384	M	1800	.....	776	19	.....	94	889	18.82	5
1	12	140	9	2	15	140	19	2	..	8	63	M	1800	.....	3359	650	.....	234	4243	656.85	
2	4	77	8	..	12	95	3	4	2	19	154	M	1600	.....	1866	183	.....	167	2216	192.68	6
..	4	77	8	..	12	95	3	4	2	19	154	M	1600	.....	1866	183	.....	167	2216	192.68	
..	4	35	2	..	9	38	1	..	1	..	21	M	513	.....	776	19	17	..	336	17.15	
1	4	35	2	..	9	38	1	..	1	..	21	M	513	.....	776	19	17	..	336	17.15	
2	4	77	8	..	12	95	3	4	4	..	250	..	2400	4625	4488	714	1529	434	7165	607.57	7
..	2	9	..	..	2	9	..	..	..	..	737	..	2400	4625	4488	714	1529	434	7165	607.57	
1	19	350	18	4	25	390	18	10	9	16	737	..	1400	.....	2175	475	65	330	3045	476.05	8
..	19	350	18	4	25	390	18	10	9	16	276	M	1400	.....	2175	475	65	330	798	128.15	
2	10	102	5	..	10	68	..	1	5	9	85	..	400	.....	670	128	.....	..	2675	194.55	9
..	5	30	3	..	6	42	7	14	3	1	147	M	1317	4142	2295	66	220	94	655	52.40	
2	5	75	..	..	8	60	..	..	..	1	53	..	385	.....	606	49	.....	..	2131	102.43	10
..	4	32	..	..	3	15	..	..	..	..	132	M	981	.....	1816	90	105	120	2922	350.15	11
1	7	102	4	..	9	55	6	3	2	24	146	M	1500	.....	2334	350	22	216	4663	345.18	12
1	8	75	8	..	6	43	..	1	4	2	243	M	2000	.....	3940	332	61	330	7343	642.53	13
1	11	110	5	2	14	120	6	1	..	5	301	M	2000	.....	6088	825	.....	430	3124	387.43	14
1	14	130	2	..	11	73	2	8	..	5	234	M	1720	.....	2834	110	.....	180			
1	6	110	4	..	8	70	..	2	2	2											

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	12	Number of Mission Fields	..
" Congregations in them	21	" Preaching Stations in them	12
" Augmented Charges	..	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	21
" Congregations in them	..	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	

JOHN POLLOCK, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Mission Fields				
1	Hepworth	Supplied from Wiarton		Donald Dewar	Hepworth
2	Lindsay			J. G. McLay	R.R. 2, Lion's Head
	Mar				
	Lake Charles				
	Others on Roll				
1		Major J. C. Tolmie, B.A.	Southampton, Ont.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		D. A. Volume, M.D.	Southampton, Ont.		
2		Wallace Johnston	Paris, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	8	Total on Roll	9
In Augmented Charges	..	Ministers on Appendix	2
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	11

TARA, ONT., MARCH 16TH, 1938.

SYNOD OF MANITOBA

No.						
1	Fort Frances, Knox	J. N. Hepburn	Fort Frances, Ont.	Alex. Thompson	Fort Frances, Ont.
	Shenston			*James Martin	Shenston, Ont.
2	Fort William, St. Andrew's	Agnew H. Johnston, M.A.	211 S. Brodie St.	J. R. Munro	216 S. Marks St.
3	Port Arthur, First	John A. McMahon, B.A.	167 Peter St.	Donald McIver	428 Robinson St.
	Mission Fields				
1	Fort William, First	J. Stanley Flook	Fort William, Ont.	D. MacDougall	183 E. Brock St.
2	Geraldton, St. Andrew's			*Thos. Tweedie	Geraldton, Ont.
	Little Long Lac Mine				
3	Kenora			Charles McLennan	Kenora, Ont.
	Cecilia Jeffrey School				
4	Gresley Park, Port Arthur	Sunday School	Supt.,	Judge J. McKay	32 Emmerson Ave.
5	Helen Street, Port Arthur	Sunday School	Supt.,	Mrs. H. Jeacock	591 Helen St.
6	Island No. 2, Fort William	Sunday School	Supt.,	Mrs. W. A. Lowe	439 S. Norah St.
7	Jumbo Gardens, Port Arthur	Sunday School	Supt.,	Hamilton Plunkett	2 Carrie St.
8	North Neebing, Fort William	Sunday School	Supt.,	Miss C. McLaren	Box 129, Fort William
9	Oliver Road, Port Arthur	Sunday School	Supt.,	Mrs. Thos. Ward	26 Dalton Ave.
	Others on Roll				
1	Retired (Minister Emeritus, St. Andrew's, Fort William)	Hugh R. Grant, D.D.	Fort William, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	3	Total on Roll	5
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	..
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	5

PORT ARTHUR, ONT., MARCH 1, 1938.

*Not Clerk of Session.

31. PRESBYTERY OF BRUCE—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937 $ c	
1	4	18									17		200		331	15			346	24.25	1
3	2	14									19		113		124	10			134	10.00	2
..	..	15	6								20		113		135	5			140	6.00	
..	..	18									21		86		115	10			125	10.00	
																					1
																					1
																					2
25	143	1660	87	13	179	1466	77	53	39	118	3512	13	22587	10306	40417	4403	2062	3087	49969	4496.59	
26	144	1746	67	15	176	1386	100	98	42	207	3565	13	21394	9215	44159	4355	1760	3112	53366	4273.51	
..	..	..	20	..	3	80	..	..	..	..	..	..	1193	1091	..	48	302	..	..	223.08	
1	1	86	..	2	..	..	23	45	3	89	53	..	..	..	3742	..	..	25	3397	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	12	Number of Mission Fields	2
" Congregations in them	18	" Preaching Stations in them	4
" Augmented Charges	2	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	16
" Congregations in them	3	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	25

P. REITH, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

32. PRESBYTERY OF SUPERIOR

2	3	96	..	..	14	125	..	..	..	..	158	M	1800	5565	3972	175	40	154	4341	175.25	1
..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5										
1	23	500	35	4	63	584	42	7	9	6	982	M	3000	6800	12189	1066	784	442	14481	1066.45	2
1	14	300	25	3	20	258	27	11	5	25	608	..	3000	6650	5227	981	98	350	6656	983.31	3
1	3	40	..	..	10	63	..	..	..	2	98	..	679	4000	1171	23	..	..	1194	22.72	1
2	..	20	1	..	6	42	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	395	..	..	..	395	..	2
..	..	12	1	..	4	32	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	..	..	..	40	..	
2	2	40	10	..	5	69	23	..	..	..	51	..	367	..	673	33	..	..	706	26.60	3
..	2	..	2	..	15	148	..	..	..	..	140	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
1	..	45	..	..	13	182	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	700	965	20	..	..	985	22.30	4
1	..	..	..	..	8	45	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	475	248	..	..	..	248	4.03	5
1	..	..	..	..	3	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		6
1	..	..	..	..	6	50	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	63	..	..	15	..	78	..	7
1	..	10	..	..	3	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	..	..	..	..	20	..	8
1	..	..	..	..	4	35	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	131	..	..	..	..	131	..	9
																					1
15	47	1071	74	7	174	1680	92	18	14	33	2042	2	8846	24404	24880	2298	937	946	29275	2300.66	
15	49	1060	60	7	178	1604	73	28	15	59	1974	2	8305	24950	30472	2087	1050	649	34258	2064.02	
..	..	11	14	..	..	76	19	..	..	..	68	..	541	..	..	211	..	297	..	236.64	
..	2	..	..	..	4	..	..	10	1	26	..	..	..	546	5592	..	113	..	4983	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	3	Number of Mission Fields	9
" Congregations in them	4	" Preaching Stations in them	11
" Augmented Charges	..	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	12
" Congregations in them	..	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	15

J. A. McMAHON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
1 Kildonan	P. Ferguson MacSween	R.R. 1, Winnipeg	W. C. Inglis	124 Leila Ave., W. Kildonan.
2 Selkirk, Knox	E. L. Garvin	Box 52, Selkirk, Man.	D. R. McLeod	Selkirk, Man.
3 Stonewall, Knox	P. Ferguson MacSween	R.R. 1, Winnipeg	A. G. McAdam	Box 178, Stonewall, Man.
Winnipeg:—				
4 First Church	W. Gordon Maclean, M.A., B.D.	191 Harvard Ave.	R. W. McGee	557 Wellington Cres.
5 Norwood	Neil G. Smith, M.A.	218 Roger St. Norwood	James Rodgers	191 Enfield Cres., Norwood.
6 St. James	R. McKay Esler	196 Wallace Rd., St. James.	J. C. McCallum	258 Berry St., St. James.
7 St. John's	John Fleck	Ste. 5, Pleasant View Apts., W. Kildonan	R. S. Hamilton	158 Jefferson Ave., W. Kildonan.
8 Calvin	David Johnstone	1652 Alexander Ave.	George Leckie	1457 Winnipeg Ave.
Mission Fields				
1 East Lockport	G. H. Gunn, B.A.	R.R. 4, Winnipeg		
Ashfield				
2 East Selkirk, MacBeth	W. C. Troyer (Catechist)	R.R. 4, Winnipeg	Rev. E. L. Garvin	Selkirk, Man.
East Libau				
West Libau				
3 Gonor, All People's Mission	W. C. Troyer (Catechist)	R.R. 4, Winnipeg	Rev. E. L. Garvin	Selkirk, Man.
4 Morden, Knox	Student		Stuart Scott	Morden, Man.
Mountain City				
5 Roland	J. J. Cowan, B.A.	Roland, Man.	George Ross	Roland, Man.
6 Elmwood, Winnipeg	Presbytery and Deaconess		*Harry Reese	249 Gordon Ave., Winnipeg.
Others on Roll				
1	Peter Fisher	635 Furby St., Winnipeg		
2	Edward Lee	523 Rathgar Ave., Winnipeg		
Appendix to Roll				
1	G. H. Gunn, B.A.	R.R. 4, Winnipeg		
				Grand Total, 1937
				Grand Total, 1936
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	2
In S.S. Charges	4	Total on Roll	10
In Augmented Charges	3	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	11

*Not an Elder.

Winnipeg, March 18, 1938.

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

Statistics and Finances	No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
														$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1 Kildonan	1	5	36	1		14	83	4	2			91	M	1000		1353	202		112	1667	202.00	1
2 Selkirk, Knox	1	6	82	11	7	14	170	16	2	5	2	168	M	1500	1840	1952	180		107	2239	179.94	2
3 Stonewall, Knox	1	5	25	3		6	51	3			2	48	M	300	1500	350	17		85	452	7.09	3
4 First Church	1	29	300	14		30	183	1	20	9	14	790		4500	53000	21644	775	427	560	23406	733.81	4
5 Norwood	1	11	72	5		12	133	2	3		4	131		1000	7100	2107	150		97	2354	158.10	5
6 St. James	1	5	60	4		10	89	12	1	5	16	141		665	11300	1684	159	12	85	1940	134.00	6
7 St. John's	1	11	118	1		17	138	14	4	3	4	271	R H	1600	13880	3819	421		138	4378	420.62	7
8 Calvin	1	4	85	3	1	24	194	5	4	4	5	129	M	900	2232	1698	30	10	57	1795	40.50	8
Mission Fields																						
1 East Lockport																165	20			185	20.00	1
Ashfield	2		22	1		4	91									30	5			35		
2 East Selkirk, MacBeth			20			4	62									240	50		25	315	50.43	2
East Libau	3		12	1		2	24	5	1		1	20	M			6				6		
West Libau																4				4		
3 Gonor, All People's Mission																104	3	2	24	133	3.45	3
4 Morden, Knox	1		30			4	78	2	1		1	15	M			536	68	22	83	709	65.00	4
Mountain City	2	5	45			8	50			5	1	34		345								
5 Roland	1	4	29	7		7	50				2	65	M	624	1500	847	15		35	897	8.10	5
6 Elmwood, Winnipeg	1	3	29			19	197				3	65			150	325	18		12	355	12.54	6
Others on Roll																						1
1																						2
2																						
Appendix to Roll																						1
1																						
Grand Total, 1937	18	88	965	51	8	175	1593	64	38	31	55	1968	8	12434	92502	36864	2113	473	1420	40870	2035.58	
Grand Total, 1936	15	86	961	52	2	161	1534	28	34	21	142	1958	9	11553	89128	32859	2084	438	1257	36637	1940.45	
Increase	3	2	4		6	14	59	36	4	10				881	3374	4005	29	35	163	4233	95.13	
Decrease				1							87	10	1									

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	4	Number of Mission Fields	6
" Congregations in them	4	" Preaching Stations in them	10
" Augmented Charges	4	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	14
" Congregations in them	4	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	18

DAVID JOHNSTONE, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF MANITOBA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Brandon:—				
1	First	J. F. Wedderburn, M.A., B.D.	315-12th St.	Alex. Shewan	354-15th St.
2	St. Andrew's	W. J. Allen	360 Frederick St.	Geo. Manson	121 Pacific Ave
	Blyth			Geo. Elliot	Carberry
3	Carberry			Wm. MacKay	Wellwood
	Wellwood				Hartney
4	Hartney, St. Paul	M. P. Floyd	Melita	J. J. McBurney	Lenore
5	Lenore	Student		R. Garbitt	Box 117, Lenore
	Breadalbane			R. Burr	Melita
6	Melita	M. P. Floyd	Melita	D. W. Yuille	
	Elva				Neepawa
7	Neepawa	J. H. Stewart, B.D.	Neepawa	R. D. Young	Boissevain
8	Ninga	Student		E. Pettypiece	
	Boissevain				Portage la Prairie
9	Portage la Prairie	Wm. Weir, B.A.	Portage la Prairie	R. C. Brown	
	Mission Fields				
1	Argyle	H. Crump (Catechist)	Box 346, Rossburn		
	Lizard Point Reserve				
2	Bellafield	Student		*John McKay	Hilton
	Hilton				
3	Birtle, Indian School Mission	E. H. Lockhart (Principal)	Birtle		
4	Cranberry Portage	Student			
5	Elphinstone	H. T. White (Catechist)	Elphinstone	John Morton	Elphinstone
	Okanais Reserve				
6	Flin Flon	Student			
7	Holmfield	Student (Supplied from Boissevain)		C. A. McRae	Kenton, Man.
8	Kinsmore	Student (Supplied from Lenore)		Wm. Logan	Lenore, Man.
	Ravine			Harry McAdam	Minnedosa
9	Minnedosa			*Mary E. Buckley	Mission House, Rolling River, Basswood, Man.
10	Rolling River Reserve				
11	The Pas	Student		*Mrs. A. E. Medd	Winnipegosis
12	Winnipegosis	Student			
	Others on Roll				
1		E. H. Lockhart	Principal, Indian School, Birtle, Man.		
2		Robert Paterson, M.A.	Glenboro, Man.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		F. B. Willson	Elphinstone, Man.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	2
In S.S. Charges	1	Total on Roll	6
In Augmented Charges	3	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	7

*Not an Elder.

BRANDON, MAN., MARCH 2, 1938.

34. PRESBYTERY OF BRANDON

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants Removed: By Certificate	Communicants Removed: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	18	200	13	8	28	239	14	10	5	14	480	M	2800	36996	12828	75	22	209	13134	75.00	1
2	4	75	8	..	25	218	2	1	..	..	156	M	1200	2784	2000	55	..	112	3079	51.03	2
..	2	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	200	..	233	..	..	33	233	..	
2	4	60	..	..	7	65	..	..	..	2	90	..	600	..	936	25	30	32	1053	33.39	3
..	4	55	5	..	3	55	..	..	..	2	113	M	490	..	1050	35	30	132	1247	10.00	
1	5	36	..	..	5	60	..	1	..	1	71	M	325	..	743	82	11	33	1048	82.00	4
2	3	31	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	70	M	300	153	631	..	..	34	666	5.00	5
..	2	12	9	..	2	30	..	..	..	..	22	..	228	..	318	..	..	..	393	..	
2	2	44	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	53	M	330	..	520	86	..	48	605	79.00	6
..	3	8	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	23	..	112	..	153	6	..	..	169	12.93	
..	8	107	3	..	8	72	..	..	..	3	202	M	1200	..	2264	36	..	95	2400	30.65	7
1	6	29	..	..	6	69	..	..	..	2	62	M	200	445	955	39	..	81	955	1.10	8
2	5	52	5	2	6	70	..	1	3	11	129	R H	1200	9500	2107	150	7	28	2292	39.36	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	122.87	9
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Regina:—				
1	First Church	Samuel Farley, M.A.	2234 Angus St.	Stuart Muirhead	1 St. Margaret's Apts.
2	Indian Head	James Evans, B.A.	Indian Head	James Stevens	Qu'Appelle
	Qu'Appelle			D. H. Star	Indian Head
	Mission Fields				
1	Arcola	Student Supply		*Mrs. J. Addie	Arcola
2	Arlington Beach	A. A. Downey (Catechist)	Strasbourg	James Parkhill	Govan
	Eddy				
	Dunkeld				
	Strasbourg				
3	Bekevar	Andrew Arvay, B.A.	Kipling, Sask.	Gabriel Syakas	Bekevar
4	Dunleath	Student Supply		John Graham	Barvas
	Stornaway				
5	Estevan	Student Supply		*Mrs. T. W. Johnson	Estevan, Sask.
6	Moosomin	Student Supply		Alex. Broadley	Moosomin
7	Regina, North Side			John Shaw	1122 Athol St.
8	Stoughton	Student Supply		John Drinman	Heward, Sask.
	Heward				
9	Whitewood	Vacant		A. F. Robertson	Box 170, Whitewood
	Burrows				
	McKay				
	St. John				
	Broadview	Vacant		H. W. MacDonald	Broadview, Sask.
	Eastview Sunday School, Regina				
	Others on Roll				
1	Synodical Missionary	H. R. Horne, B.A., LL.B.	144 Leopold Crescent,	Regina	
	Appendix to Roll				
1		W. G. Tate	2654 Elphinstone St.,	Regina	
2		G. E. Lougheed, B.A.	322 Ninth St., Brando	n, Man.	
3		John Kovach, B.A.	Bekevar, Sask.		

Grand Total, 1937....
Grand Total, 1936....
Increase....
Decrease....

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges.... 1
In Augmented Charges.... 1
In Ordained Mission Fields.... 2

Others on Roll.... 1
Total on Roll.... 5
Ministers on Appendix.... 3
Grand Total of Ministers.... 8

*Not an Elder.

INDIAN HEAD, MARCH 20, 1938.

35. PRESBYTERY OF REGINA

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937 $ c	Number
1	29	272	10		50	477	14	14	14	53	729	M	3000	22550	11333	1621	308	346	13604	1330 18	1
2	4	52	4	1	5	59	18	7		2	103	M	530		1530	30	10		2100	30 00	2
	6	32	2	1	3	24	5		2	3	80		450	1100	645		55		700		
1	2				6	20															1
4	6	37	4	2	9	92	23		25		155	M	100	400	281	100	10	97	488	180 00	2
1	5	98	11		7	105	11		2	4	295	M	399		734	10		10	754	10 00	3
2	5	27	9	1	3	17	9	5		1	40	M	228		393	50			443	75 00	4
1	1	23			5	25					30		260	1200	610	7	40		675		5
1	4	30	1		10	33	3			4	66	M	454	3000	668	8		33	1165	7 20	6
1	4	72	2		12	99	7		2	2	138		873	4611	1351	67		131	1549	67 40	7
1	4																			10 00	8
2					6	20					25	M								8 00	
5	6	50	2		10	75			2		150	M	600		994	10	7	7	1048	2 06	9
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	3	23			5	65	9			1	59		206		296			10	305	60	
					21	160										69	14		83		
													†3240								1
																					1
																					2
																					3
21	75	716	45	5	152	1271	99	26	47	70	1870	8	7100	32861	18835	1972	444	634	22914	1721 55	
22	70	749	52	2	143	1409	68	38	18	288	1877	8	7877	33057	19646	1834	301	753	24407	2011 40	
	5			3	9		31		29							138	143				
1		33	7			138		12		218	7		777	196	811			119	1493	289 85	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges.... 1
" Congregations in them.... 1
" Augmented Charges.... 1
" Congregations in them.... 2

Number of Mission Fields.... 9
" Preaching Stations in them.... 18
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields.. 11
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 21

†Salary paid by Board of Missions.

JAMES EVANS, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Assiniboia	Supply		W. W. Stewart	Assiniboia
2	Briercrest			James Glen	Briercrest
	Camlachie				
3	Moose Jaw, Knox	Supply		C. Nicholson	Grayburn
	St. Paul's			W. J. Moffat	151 Iroquois St., Moose Jaw.
4	Swift Current, St. Andrew's	C. Younger-Lewis, B.A.	St. Andrew's Manse	J. R. Hutchison	Box 606, Swift Current
5	Weyburn	Arend Roskamp, B.A.	Weyburn	F. H. Heard	Weyburn
	Prairie View				
	Mission Fields				
1	Maple Creek	Vacant		J. Hastie	Maple Creek
	Wapashoe				
2	Pambrun	Student		W. C. Brell	Pambrun
	Courcellette				
3	Rockglen	Supplied from Assiniboia		J. Bremner	Rockglen
	Bordervale				
	Kildeer				
	Coal Creek				
4	Yellowstone	Student		Miss Myrtle Garris	Arena
	Ridge Cliffe			Robert Scobie	Rangeview
	Divide			A. B. Abramson	Divide
	Alfalfa Valley			Frank Stanley	Vidora
	Others on Roll				
1		D. G. Cameron, D.D.	Box 607, Swift Current		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		R. S. Leslie, B.A.	Trossachs, Sask.		
2		R. MacKnight, B.A.	Moose Jaw, Sask.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	1	Total on Roll	3
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	2
In Ordained Mission Fields		Grand Total of Ministers	5

Swift Current, Sask., March 23, 1938.

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

1	Melfort, St. James	Vacant	David Rodgers	Melfort
	Clapton			
2	Prince Albert, St. Paul's	K. Hunter Palmer	48-12th St. E.	James Williamson	596 River St.
3	Tisdale, St. Andrew's	Arthur J. Gowland	Tisdale	F. T. Fraser	Tisdale
	Hanover				
	Sylvania				
	Mission Fields				
1	Carragana	Student		George Lynn	Carragana
	Souchez				
	Golden Glow				
	Copeau				
	Green View				

36. PRESBYTERY OF MOOSE JAW

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	Number
1	3	61	12	..	7	88	..	4	..	37	86	M	535	4930	1196	38	..	44	1278	39.05	1
*2	2	15	..	..	7	39	..	..	..	..	59	M	72	1891	297	30	..	36	397	29.95	2
..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	..	
2	4	62	..	..	10	69	5	7	18	25	143	..	763	5834	1981	65	467	105	2619	67.47	3
..	3	25	1	1	7	42	2	..	..	..	52	M	387	..	725	150	47	48	970	150.00	
1	3	45	3	1	10	82	..	..	..	17	50	M	767	2800	1263	68	..	107	1438	42.74	4
2	11	138	8	7	24	129	3	6	8	12	327	M	1600	..	2491	228	16	114	3713	293.03	5
..	..	25	6	1	3	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	48	..	23	15	..	..	86	14.70	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	M	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	M	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
2	1	14	..	..	4	37	..	..	..	..	41	..	60	..	90	12	..	20	182	9.50	2
..	..	11	..	..	5	34	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	..	94	7	..	..	131	6.65	3
4	3	6	..	..	5	39	..	..	..	5	11	M	6	2500	73	..	..	..	74	.50	
..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
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..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	14	..	22	..	..	..	27	10.00	4
*4	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	8	..	16	..	..	..	24	..	
..	..	10	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	10	..	18	..	..	..	18	..	
..	..	15	2	..	..	41	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
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20	30	446	34	10	82	623	10	17	26	100	783	7	4300	17955	8289	613	530	474	10982	663.59	
20	32	466	39	15	75	570	32	10	21	14	883	7	4431	18080	10018	774	192	411	12001	875.05	
..	..	..	..	..	7	53	..	7	5	86	..	..	..	..	..	..	338	63	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100	..	131	125	1729	161	..	..	1019	211.46	
..	2	20	5	5	..	..	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	1	Number of Mission Fields	4
" Congregations in them	2	" Preaching Stations in them	12
" Augmented Charges	4	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	9
" Congregations in them	6	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	20

*Last year's figures.

C. YOUNGER-LEWIS, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

37. PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE ALBERT

2	6	60	..	..	11	85	3	..	..	21	88	M	1200	..	1748	82	..	108	1938	82.66	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
1	11	382	31	12	27	486	21	8	2	32	454	M	2000	5637	6906	230	126	224	7486	237.24	2
3	2	70	15	1	9	140	14	6	..	1	92	M	860	3800	1332	77	13	52	1474	77.41	3
..	..	20	1	..	3	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	75	3	..	..	78	..	
..	..	15	..	..	2	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	56	2	..	..	58	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
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5	2	20	..	..	2	36	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	1	10	..	..	..	30	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	15	..	..	..	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
2	Kinistino	Student		George Forde	Kinistino
	Crescent Hill				
	Crompton				
	Norden				
	Shannonville				
3	Meath Park	James Hagen	Meath Park	W. B. Moore	Meath Park
	Weirdale				
	Howard Creek				
4	Mistawasis	W. W. Moore	Mont Nebo		
5	Smeaton	Student			
	Aldergrove				
	Celtic				
	Shipman				
	Snowden				
	Others on Roll				
1	Chaplain, Saskatchewan Penitentiary	R. G. McKay, B.A., M.A.	64-21st St. E., Prince	Albert, Sask	
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Retired	J. C. Madill	Assiniboia, Sask		

Grand Total, 1937	
Grand Total, 1936	
Increase	
Decrease	

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	1	Total on Roll	5
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	2	Grand Total of Ministers	6

Prince Albert, Sask., April 15, 1938.

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

1	North Battleford, St. Andrew's	Thomas Murphy, B.A.	1302 Edward St.	Alex. Wilson	1382 Frederick St.
2	Rosetown	R. Malcolm Ransom, B.A., Th.B.	Box 302, Rosetown	Hugh Fraser	Rosetown
	Gunnworth				
	Oliver				
	Saskatoon:—				
3	Parkview	C. A. Ronald Rowat, B.A.	605-29th St. W.	T. G. McNay	1016 Ave. E., North
4	St. Andrew's	W. G. Brown, M.A., B.D.	535-24th St. E.	J. L. McKinnon	Technical Collegiate
5	Wilkie, St. Andrew's	G. S. Baulch, B.A.	Wilkie, Sask.	F. A. Sitter	Wilkie, Sask.
	Traynor			*Mrs. G. B. Doran	Traynor, Sask.
	Mission Fields				
1	Biggar, St. Andrew's	James Wilson	Box 82, Biggar	Hugh McKenzie	Biggar, Sask.
	Palo				
2	Coleville, Scott Memorial	John Brent	Coleville	H. L. Dumouchelle	Coleville
	Dewar Lake				
	Kindersley			John Campbell	Kindersley
	Ealingford				
	Luseland			James Inkster	Luseland
3	Dinsmore	Student			
	Buffalo Lake				
	Welcome Valley				

37. PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE ALBERT—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
5	2	16	2		4	27	2			2	28	M	289	1100	452	13		5		13.40	2
		13	1		3	15				1	19		100		145	3				3.11	
		11	3		2	18							43		58	1	3			3.25	
		11			2	14							21		27	2				2.50	
		10			1	6							7		12	2				4.55	3
3	2	42	3		5	45					18	M		170	303	50		16	369		
					4	28										15		5		10.00	
		10			3	15												11		10.00	4
1		30			4	32					92	R H			65						5
5	1	16			3	23									25						
		8			1										40						
		8			1	9									20						
		9																			
		7																			
																					1
																					1
25	27	804	56	13	87	1069	40	14	2	57	857	7	4520	10707	11327	480	142	426	11471	444.12	
26	21	804	55		73	950	16	8	3	6	889	7	4586	11541	12012	530	116	525	13183	581.44	
	6		1	13	14	119	24	6		51							26				
1									1		32		66	834	685	50		99	1712	137.32	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	2	Number of Mission Fields	5
" Congregations in them	3	" Preaching Stations in them	19
" Augmented Charges	1	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	8
" Congregations in them	3	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	25

KENNEDY H. PALMER, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

38. PRESBYTERY OF SASKATOON

1	12	95	9		10	100	12		2	5	130	M	1829	3700	3127			48	3175		1
3	8	37			7	45	2			20	97	M	1116	2500	1116	48		25	1189	60.18	2
		12			4	20									150				150	7.47	
		8				12									20				20		

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
4 Paynton	Student		*L. S. Fraser	Paynton
Grand Cheviot				
5 Saskatoon, Mayfair	Student		*Mr. Gordon	1117 Ave. G., North
Thornton				
Grasswood				
Oilicana				
Others on Roll				
1 Retired	Donald Munro, B.A.	1412 Frederick St., North Battleford, Sask.		
				Grand Total, 1937
				Grand Total, 1936
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	2	Total on Roll	8
In Augmented Charges	3	Ministers on Appendix	..
In Ordained Mission Fields	2	Grand Total of Ministers	8

North Battleford, Sask., March 31, 1938.

*Not Clerk of Session.

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

1 Brownvale	J. M. Fraser	Brownvale, Alta.	A. J. Betterson	Brownvale, Alta.
Blue Hawk				
Burnt Lee				
Figure Eight	Miss H. Madil (Nurse)	Brownvale, Alta.		
Griffin Creek	Miss G. Rollo (Deaconess)	Brownvale, Alta.		
Lac Cardinal				
Last Lake				
2 Fort St. John, Burch Church	Vacant		*A. Holland	Fort St. John, B.C.
Peace View				
Sunrise				
Charlie Lake				
3 Grande Prairie, Forbes Church	C. E. Fisher	Grande Prairie, Alta.	T. Rooney	Grande Prairie, Alta.
Bear Lake				
Flying Shot				
4 Riverside, B.C.	Miss I. Gordon (Deaconess)	Pouce Coupe, B.C.	Murdock Campbell, Sr.	Pouce Coupe, B.C.
Tupper Creek, B.C.				
5 Dixonville	Geo. Hutchinson (Supply)	Dixonville, Alta.	R. Dixon	Dixonville, Alta.
Clear Hills				
Hasel				
6 Wanham	Alex. MacSween	Wanham, Alta.		
Heart Valley				
Westvale				
Belloy				
Fox Creek				
Blueberry Mountain				
7 Prestville	Miss Grigor (Deaconess)	Prestville, Alta.		
Royal Winner				
				Grand Total, 1937
				Grand Total, 1936
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	..	Total on Roll	2
In Augmented Charges	..	Ministers on Appendix	..
In Ordained Mission Fields	2	Grand Total of Ministers	2

Grande Prairie, Alta., March 9, 1938.

*Not an Elder.

38. PRESBYTERY OF SASKATOON—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
																			73		4
2		18			1	4					19		73		73				40		
															40				198	2.00	5
4		17			5	42	1				1		118	490	198				61		
		16			4	28							61		61				12		
		10													12				14		
		8													14						
																					1
24	52	846	44	4	114	1017	45	14	17	73	1277	6	8297	23943	16851	1012	112	546	18521	1035 30	
23	56	866	50	11	117	1116	23	16	21	21	1316	6	8767	24924	17689	924	145	485	19520	949 80	
1							22			52						88		61		85 50	
	4	20	6	7	3	99		2	4		39		470	981	838		33		999		

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	2	Number of Mission Fields	5
" Congregations in them	2	" Preaching Stations in them	16
" Augmented Charges	3	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	10
" Congregations in them	6	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	24

THOMAS MURPHY, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

39. PRESBYTERY OF PEACE RIVER

7	3	12	2		3	20	1			1	7	M	†1600	1000	130	73	15	10	228	186.20	1
		7														15		5	20	6.00	
		10														12			12	10.85	
		12														10			10		
		20			5		2								45	90	25		160		
		10	1													15			15	15.00	
		10			3	15					5				15	5		5	25	2.76	
		18		1	4	21	1				20	R H			230	93			323		2
‡4		11	2		1	17										25			25	6.50	
		16	9	2	2	28	2									30			30		
		10			1	23				1	49	R H	†1900		92	76		43	211	155.00	3
3	2	26	7		7	35										51			51		
		16			1	20										29			29		
		10			1	25					14	M				15			15		4
2	1	6			2	15	1									4			4		
		20			3	20						M	†780			100	7		107	100.00	5
3	2	16				30															
					3	17										85		17	253	111.47	6
			2		2	10					13	M			151	21		14	35	21.00	
6		16														15			15	14.71	
		12			1	16										9			9	9.30	
		10														20			20	20.46	
		6														7			7	28.58	
																15		8	354	16.70	7
‡		8									5			308	330	6		3	9	6.16	
2		12			4	30															
		3	2		1	8															
										2	113	6		1308	993	821	47	105	1967	710.69	
27	8	297	25	3	44	350	7			1	119	5		1000	680	856		104	1648	876.72	
27	9	310	28	4	43	390	19	1		1		1		308	313		47	1	319		
					1						6					35				166.03	
	1	13	3	1		40	12	1												7	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	..	Number of Mission Fields	7
" Congregations in them	..	" Preaching Stations in them	27
" Augmented Charges	..	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	7
" Congregations in them	..	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	27

†Salary paid by Board of Missions.

‡Last year's figures

C. E. FISHER, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Chauvin	Leonard Wilson (Student)	Chauvin	*L. D'Albertanson	Chauvin
	Artland			*Alex. McCrae	Artland, Sask.
	Edenglassie			*E. A. Pitman, Jr	Chauvin, Alta.
	Killarney			*J. Allen	Chauvin, Alta.
	Prosperity			*J. E. Neil	Chauvin, Alta.
	Edmonton:—				
2	First	Ross K. Cameron, M.A.	First Presbyterian Church.	A. B. MacKenzie	10933-83rd St.
3	Rupert Street	Wm. Simons	10921-83rd St.	Thos. Dodds	10630-72nd Ave.
4	St. Andrew's	F. D. Roxburgh, M.A., D.D.	11309-63rd St.	Alex. Gibb	11334-93rd St.
5	Strathcona	Robert J. Burton	9745-86th Ave.	Geo. W. Scott	9208-89th St.
6	Westmount	John H. Low (Supply)	18 Dunstan Apts.	W. T. Tait	11314-126th St.
7	Independence	Vacant		*Mrs. Alex. McDonald	Alcomdale
	Alcomdale				
	Sion				
8	Lloydminster, Knox	Andrew Walker	Lloydminster, Alta.	R. E. Stevenson	Lloydminster, Alta.
9	Wainwright	Wm. S. Brooker	Wainwright, Alta.	Frank E. Dixon	Wainwright, Alta.
10	Wetaskiwin			J. E. Fraser	Wetaskiwin, Alta.
11	Vegreville	M. S. Blackburn	Vegreville, Alta.		
	Ranfurly			A. Thompson	Ranfurly, Alta.
	Mission Fields				
1	Beverly			*Mrs. Wm. Lammie	Beverly, Alta.
2	Earlie	Miss Ruby Walker (Deaconess)	Lloydminster, Alta.	*Mrs. Wm. Ross	Earlie, Alta.
	Kinnaird			*Mrs. G. S. Malcolm	Kitscoty, Alta.
	Thomasville			*E. Harrison	Blackfoot, Alta.
	Westcentre			*H. Stevens	Kitscoty, Alta.
	Wildwood			*Mrs. Geo. Jack	Kitscoty, Alta.
3	Killam	E. G. MacDonald (Student)	Killam, Alta.	Wm. Grant	Killam, Alta.
4	Vermilion	G. L. Collins (Student)	Vermilion, Alta.	*Geo. Webb	Vermilion, Alta.
	Ganton			*Gordon Trevithick	Tolland, Alta.
	Watson			*Mr. Proctor	Hindville, Alta.
	Woodvale			*H. Stephens	Blackfoot, Alta.
	Union			*Jas. Rankin	Vermilion, Alta.
5	Leduc (Hungarian)	Bela Bucsin	Box 376, Calgary	Andrew Csigmadia	Genesee, Alta.
	Genesee				
	Warburg				
	Appendix to Roll				
1		W. F. Gold	10208-126th St., Edmonton, Alta.		
2		E. M. Glows	9922-110th Ave., Edmonton, Alta.		
3		W. J. Cook, B.A.	Rockford Bridge, Alta.		
4		John Edgar, M.A.	Ireland		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 1
In Augmented Charges 4
In Ordained Mission Fields 2

Others on Roll 7
Total on Roll 14
Ministers on Appendix 4
Grand Total of Ministers 11

Edmonton, March 3, 1938.

*Not Clerks of Session.

40. PRESBYTERY OF EDMONTON

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
5		30	2		5	30					14	M	290		630				630		1
		8			4	11					8		30		30	3			80	2.50	
		20			1	12					18		80		80				80		
		8			5	25					25		45		45				45	2.70	
		10									5		60		60				60	5.00	
1	28	400	31	1	53	420	13	16	29	7	876		4000	12000	15880	2132	133	646	18892	2131.58	2
1	5	27	2		10	80	9	1		2	54		300		595	63	19	25	703	63.31	3
1	5	80	12	3	20	250	6	6	3	1	198	M	1300		2246	118	20	146	2515	118.47	4
1	6	44	5		11	64	2	3	3	1	87	R H	1200		1995	88	6	83	2172	88.38	5
1	3	53			10	105	2		1	3	101	M	625	3875	1762	53	14	68	1897	57.00	6
3		15			5	25					21										7
		8									23										
		11			5	25					24										
1	3	44	2	1	11	71	13	4	1		98	M	1000		1380	45	62	9	1496	44.99	8
1	3	51	8	2	7	45	8		3	35	78	M	590	250	1088	19	37		1144	19.15	9
1	3	20									54	M		250	40				40		10
2		15	1		8	62					15		293	300	581	2		49	632	1.65	11
	2	8			4	16			4		18		300	1000	350				350	2.00	
1		18			8	60					8		53		150				150	1.50	1
1		8									8		53		53				53		2
5		9	1				6				10		70		70	2		3	75	2.00	
		16	3		3	19	1						83		83				83		
		15			3	18															
		12	1		2	15	13	2			15		43		43			8	51		
		13	1		3	20	8				18		157		157	10		8	175	9.00	
		25	2		5	35	4		2		50		269		269	10			279	15.40	3
1	5	31			6	60	1	1			20	R H	56	126	312	15		13	340	18.35	4
5		12			3	18					16		25		60				60		
		12									10		30		30				30		
		10									6		30		30				30		
		8			3	16					14		60		60				60		
3	5	61	11	3	1	34	9		16	3	188	R H	†115		115				115		5
													†1740								
																					1
																					2
																					3
																					4
33	68	1094	82	10	196	1536	95	33	62	52	2080	9	11104	17801	28194	2560	291	1058	32190	2582.98	
30	67	1284	82	9	194	1533	76	45	41	38	2256	10	14333	19386	29495	2604	1575	1153	34742	2847.76	
3	1			1	2	3	19		21	14											
		190						12			176	1	3229	1585	1301	44	1284	95	2552	264.78	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 1
" Congregations in them 1
" Augmented Charges 6
" Congregations in them 7

Number of Mission Fields 9
" Preaching Stations in them 25
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 16
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 33

†Paid by Board of Missions.

F. D. ROXBURGH, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
1 Carstairs, Knox	D. St. C. Campbell, B.A.	Carstairs, Alta.	W. H. Carmichael	Carstairs, Alta.
Dog Pound				
2 Innisfail, St. Andrew's	R. L. Taylor, B.A.	Innisfail, Alta.	R. G. McArthur	Innisfail, Alta.
Olds, St. Andrew's			John Ross	Olds, Alta.
3 Red Deer, Knox	Hugh Jack, B.A.	Box 682, Red Deer, Alta	P. Gordon	Red Deer, Alta.
4 Sylvan Lake, Memorial	R. S. Stevens, D.D. (Supply)	Sylvan Lake, Alta.	A. M. Steele	Sylvan Lake, Alta.
Centreville			F. M. Hodges	R.R. 1, Red Deer, Alta
Evarts			A. L. Stewart	Evarts, Alta.
Mission Fields				
1 Benalto	Student		†D. M. Campbell	Eckville
Eckville				
Hespero				
2 Ewing	Student		Chas. Rachar	Erskine, Alta.
Witsel School				
3 Lousana	Student		David Smith	Lousana, Alta.
Collins District			*Mrs. H. S. Murray	Lousana, Alta.
Doris				
Trenville				
4 Penhold	Supplied from Red Deer		A. B. McGorman	Penhold, Alta.
5 Rocky Mountain House	Student		Ernest Ross	Rocky Mountain House, Alta.
6 Willowdale	Student		James McPhee	R.R. 1, Penhold, Alta.
Brooksley				
Edwell				
Valley Centre				
Appendix to Roll				
1	A. H. Leslie	Toronto, Ont.		
2	D. J. Townley	Carrichue, County Derry, Ireland		
3	D. K. Andrews	11A Salisbury Rd., Edinburgh, Scotland		
				Grand Total, 1937
				Grand Total, 1936
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	1	Total on Roll	3
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	3
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	6

CARSTAIRS, ALTA., MARCH 21, 1938.

†Not Clerk of Session.

*Not an Elder.

41. PRESBYTERY OF RED DEER

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	2	47	..	..	6	49	..	..	..	1	48	M	860	..	838	80	2	96	1016	82.75	1
..	..	20	..	..	3	34	..	..	..	..	..	..	140	..	237	20	8	..	265	17.30	
2	4	70	6	4	12	113	9	4	..	2	96	M	720	..	964	157	..	18	1139	156.77	2
..	4	55	4	1	7	56	3	..	5	..	56	M	538	345	952	40	..	39	1032	40.52	
1	5	133	4	..	10	108	1	..	..	1	145	M	1600	1000	2742	277	80	155	3254	277.34	3
3	3	40	10	..	10	80	4	..	3	1	48	M	600	..	924	32	33	5	1000	32.25	4
..	1	15	1	..	5	25	..	..	..	..	27	..	250	..	200	5	15	..	220	..	
..	1	15	..	..	5	25	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	260	15	..	..	275	..	
3	2	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	11	M	78	..	214	13	..	..	227	13.00	1
..	..	21	1	..	6	55	..	..	..	..	..	..	78	..	337	5	..	..	342	5.00	
..	..	12	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	..	138	..	50	10	..	..	60	10.00	
2	2	14	..	..	4	38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	138	30	5	..	173	36.00	2
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	29	M	138	..	205	..	..	..	205	..	3
4	3	30	3	..	2	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	28	..	30	..	..	..	30	..	
..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	15	..	..	2	14	..	..	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	1	18	..	..	2	17	..	..	..	..	22	M	90	..	..	30	..	15	135	30.00	4
1	1	7	4	..	..	..	3	2	..	..	52	..	310	700	747	40	18	57	863	40.00	5
1	3	95	16	..	10	135	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	33	M	208	..	208	3	..	..	211	3.31	6
4	1	30	..	..	4	40	..	..	..	..	10	..	104	..	104	..	..	..	104	..	
..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	..	104	..	104	..	..	..	104	4.40	
..	1	15	3	..	5	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	20	..	..	4	33	..	..	..	1	20	M	208	..	208	..	..	..	208	1.15	
																					1
																					2
																					3
23	34	699	54	5	97	870	21	7	14	13	671	10	6392	2045	9462	757	161	385	10863	749.79	
22	40	625	55	4	112	725	16	9	8	5	663	11	6242	2301	9784	812	127	322	11045	823.82	
1	..	74	..	1	..	145	5	..	6	8	8	1	150	256	322	55	34	63	182	74.03	
	6	..	1	..	15	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	2	Number of Mission Fields	6
" Congregations in them	4	" Preaching Stations in them	15
" Augmented Charges	2	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	10
" Congregations in them	4	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	23

D. ST. C. CAMPBELL, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
1 Banff, St. Paul's	C. McKay Cameron, M.A.	Banff, Alta.	John Thomson	325 Marten St., Banff
2 Bassano, Knox	Supply		E. L. Skerritt	Bassano, Alta.
Calgary:—				
3 Grace	Alfred Bright, B.A., B.D.	1721-9A St. W.	J. A. Clark	531-22nd Ave. W.
4 Knox	T. A. Rodger, B.A.	240-13th Ave. W.	James Smart	1315-12th Ave. W.
5 North Hill	John Hart	112-14th Ave. N.W.	W. Duncan	138-8th Ave. N.W.
6 St. Andrew's	R. H. Williams, B.D., D.D.	803-13th St. E.	Alex. Reid	350-3rd Ave. N.E.
7 High River	M. G. Garabedian, B.A., B.D.	High River, Alta.	*W. C. McDougall	High River, Alta.
Cayley				
8 Three Hills, St. Andrew's	Donald B. Cram (O.M.)	Three Hills, Alta.	A. J. P. Stewart	Three Hills, Alta.
Bethel				
Orkney				
Sarcee				
Mission Fields				
1 Calgary, Pleasant Heights	Under Grace Church Session			
2 Calgary, Hungarian	Kalman D. Toth, Ph.D. (S.S.)	334-12th Ave. W., Calgary, Alta.	Steve Bathory	418-8th St. N.E.
Others on Roll				
1	D. J. Graham, B.A.	930-15th Ave W., Calgary, Alta		
Appendix to Roll				
1	H. G. Gratz, B.A., B.D.	Sunny Slope, Alta		
2 Hungarian Missionary	Bela Bucsin	Box 376, Calgary, Alta.		
				Grand Total, 1937
				Grand Total, 1936
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	3	Total on Roll	8
In Augmented Charges	2	Ministers on Appendix	2
In Ordained Mission Fields	2	Grand Total of Ministers	10

*Representative Elder.

803-13th St. E., Calgary, Alta., April 1, 1938.

42. PRESBYTERY OF CALGARY

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	4	90			9	97	1	1		13	91		1200	5000	2532	131		129	2792	111.98	1
1	3	35	1		10	85	5	2	1	1	61	M	383	400	783	110			893	110.00	2
1	34	525	26		57	361	21	56	22	15	1073		4320	48000	15486	2600	602	1117	19903	2600.00	3
1	7	105	4		12	100	3	4	3	2	222	M	2400	12800	5561	305	62	255	6183	339.40	4
1	8	80	7	1	17	120	3	1	1	1	132	R H	1200	3712	1915	78		61	2054	77.52	5
1	10	160	11	1	20	173	2	1	7	5	292	M	1800	2772	5413	268	19	166	5866	258.51	6
2	2	30			3	23	1	2			68		728		1086	100	13	30	1229	100.00	7
		10									13		150		156	25	13	26	220	25.00	
4	1	23	8	2	6	40	5			1	49		400	300	713	20	67	83	883	20.00	8
	2	7	3		6	26					17		135		135	10			145		
		14			5	26				2	23		225		315	48	199		562	101.95	
	2	11			4	31			1		17		240		252	18	7		277	18.31	
															465	15	13	11	504	15.00	1
1	1	7			6	75				7	17				650	85	170		905	95.00	2
1	15	53	11	5	2	49	8	5	14	5	396	R H									
																					1
																					1
													†1440								2
													‡300								
14	89	1150	71	9	157	1206	49	72	49	52	2471	5	13181	72984	35462	3813	1165	1878	42416	3872.67	
14	90	1153	98	9	150	1208	78	68	49	195	2444	6	12668	78685	36845	4010	1031	1929	43990	3954.44	
					7		2	4		143	27	1	513	5701	1383	197	134	51	1574	81.77	
	1	3	27			29															

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	3	Number of Mission Fields	2
" Congregations in them	3	" Preaching Stations in them	2
" Augmented Charges	5	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	10
" Congregations in them	9	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	14

†Salary paid by Board of Missions. ‡Rent and Travel Expenses.

R. H. WILLIAMS, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Lethbridge, St. Andrew's	Vacant		John Garrett	803-6th Ave. N.
2	Macleod. St. Andrew's	Arthur J. Sinclair, B.A., B.D.	Macleod	Hugh Mackintosh	Macleod
3	Medicine Hat, St. John's	W.D. Grant Hollingworth, B.A.	Medicine Hat	John Hill	216-7th St.
	Mission Fields				
1	Granum	Student		R. A. Macleod	Granum
	Jumbo Valley			M. R. Matheson	Jumbo Valley
2	Shaughnessy	W.M.S.		Frieda E. Matthews (Deaconess)	Shaughnessy
	" "	"			
	Rolling Hill				
	Commerce				
3	Lethbridge (Hungarian)	Bela Bucsin	Box 376, Calgary		
	Raymond				
	Brooks				
	Taber				
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	2
In S.S. Charges	1	Total on Roll	
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	2

Macleod, Alta., April 24, 1938.

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

1	Cranbrook, Knox	J. F. Bell	Box 36, Cranbrook	C. J. Little	Box 680, Cranbrook
2	Trail, First	F. G. St. Denis	1469 Bay Ave., Trail	J. E. Carter	1215 Green Ave., Trail
	Mission Fields				
1	Creston, St. Stephen's	Vacant		M. J. Boyd	Creston
2	Grand Forks	Closed		E. L. Hutchins	Kimberley
3	Kimberley, St. Andrew's	Student		Jas. May	403 Richards St., Nelson.
4	Nelson, First	Vacant		H. S. Nelson	New Denver
5	New Denver	Student		*Mrs. M. Webb	Silverton
	Silverton			P. Swan	Slocan City
	Slocan City				
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	1	Total on Roll	2
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	..
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	2

Trail, B.C., March 18, 1938.

*Not an Elder

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

43. PRESBYTERY OF MACLEOD

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate Removed from Roll	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	8	110	12	..	15	135	3	1	2	5	205	M	1800	.....	2594	122	.....	120	2836	74.55	1
1	4	50	4	1	5	40	4	3	2	6	80	M	1150	.....	1500	50	.....	50	2000	38.61	2
1	11	195	22	..	24	233	.....	.....	.....	.....	338	M	2000	.....	4880	670	.....	248	5798	670.00	3

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Chilliwack	J. Alan Munro, B.A.	133 Wellington Ave., Chilliwack.	John D. Keith	R.R. 1, Chilliwack
2	Kamloops	Gardner Dickey, B.A., B.D.	Kamloops	Alex. Whitecross	Kamloops
3	Penticton	Supply		Frank Brown	Penticton
4	Prince Rupert	Vacant		W. W. C. O'Neill, B.A.	427 Emmerson Place
	New Westminster:—				
5	Gordon, Edmonds	D. J. Donaghue, B.A.	2205 Walker Ave.	W. P. Philps	1738 Edmonds St.
6	Knox, Sapperton	Duncan Campbell, B.A., D.D.	407 Columbia St.	Geo. Morrow	339 Alberta St.
7	St. Aidan's	Thos. E. Roulston	216-7th Ave.	Geo. Halliday	1416-8th Ave.
8	St. Andrew's	Sidney J. Sharkey, B.A., B.D.	115-2nd St.	K. R. Matheson	714-4th St.
9	St. Stephen's	P. C. McCrae	420-7th St.	D. Lightbody	1602 Edinburgh St.
	North Vancouver:—				
10	St. Andrew's	J. S. Patterson	130 E. 14th St.	Alex. Sim	130 E. 14th St.
11	St. Stephen's	J.C.McLean-Bell, Phm.B., B.S.A	211 E. 28th St.	Walter Barlow	242 W. 15th St.
	Vancouver:—				
12	Central	W. A. Cameron, B.A., D.D.	1100 Thurlow St.	Harry White	2007 W. 63rd Ave.
13	Fairview	W. Ellis, M.A., B.D.	4745 W. 6th Ave.	A. H. McRobbie	1571 W. 11th Ave.
14	Kerrisdale	Harry Lennox, B.A.	3158 W. 37th Ave.	J. W. S. McLeod	2835 W. 42nd Ave.
15	Mount Pleasant	F. G. Fowler, B.A., B.D.	3496 Quebec St.	J. J. Makepeace	4577 W. 5th Ave.
16	Richmond	J. McTurk	8464 Adera St.	Hugh McArthur	Eburne, B.C.
17	Robertson	Alex. Esler, M.A., D.D.	1631 Napier St.	G. H. McKay	1955 Charles St.
18	St. Paul's	J. R. Frizell, B.A., LL.B	1122 E. 18th Ave.	Jas. Mitchell	1200 E. 12th Ave.
19	Vancouver Heights	R. C. Acheson	4066 Dundas St.	W. J. McFadden	4075 Eton St.
20	West Point Grey	R. C. Creelman, B.A.	4410 W. 8th Ave.	J. Clark	3922 W. 13th Ave.
	Mission Fields				
1	Armstrong	Supply		Dr. W. B. McKechnie	Armstrong, B.C.
	Vernon				
2	Buchanan	Student Supply		John Gillies	3420 E. 26th Ave., Vancouver.
3	Chinese	K. H. Yeung	216 Keefer St., Vancouver.	Thos. P. Wallace	3424 Knight Rd., Vancouver.
4	Cloverdale	Under care of Session of Cooke's Church, Chilliwack.			
5	Hammond	Student Supply		T. J. White	Hammond, B.C.
	Pitt Meadows				
6	Hunter	Supply		Rev. W. A. Cameron, D.D.	1100 Thurlow St., Van.
	South Hill				
	Knox				
7	Mount Lehman	Student Supply		Peter Edge	Bradner, B.C.
	Bradner				
8	Murrayville	W. J. Forbes Robertson	Murrayville, B.C.	J. H. Somerville	R.R.1, Langley Prairie
	Coghlan				
9	Salmon Arm	Student Supply		W. E. Brett	Salmon Arm
	Canoe				
10	St. Columba	D. A. Fowlie, B.A.	1460 Welwyn St., Vancouver.	R. McKillop	1767 E. 35th Ave., Vancouver.
	Livingstone				
11	Stewart	Harold G. Funston, B.A.	Box 166, Stewart, B.C.		
12	Strawberry Hill	Student Supply		A. M. Sands	Strawberry Hill
	Newton				
	†Main Street S.S.				
	†Jubilee, Burnaby				
	†Presbytery of Westminster				
	Others on Roll				
1	Supt. Chinese Missions	D. A. Smith, B.A.	175 W. 10th Ave., Vancouver, B.C.		
2	Retired	Thos. Wilson, B.A.	5586 Larch St., Vancouver, B.C.		
3	Retired	Thos. Oswald, B.A.	882 Formby St., New Westminster, B.C.		
4	Retired	David Lister, Th.D.	Kenmore Apts., 1075 Gilford St., Vancouver		B.C.

45. PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: Received By Certificate	Communicants: Removed By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	6	130			7	121	1	8	4	4	204	M	1244	1000	3349	420	79	167	4015	424 54	1
1	5	105	3	4	11	161	4			27	118	M	1440	1900	2605	171	45	49	2870	181 53	2
1	4	19			4	45					76		508	3000	703	79	104	66	952	78 07	3
1	3	120			18	110	1	1	8	13	104	M	1600	15000	2795	17	40	54	2906	16 65	4
1	8	100	1		18	165	16	3	2	9	171	R H	1500		2000	300	30	149	2479	300 00	5
1	4	56	2		17	123	2			5	96	M	1040		1475	215	21	84	1795	192 00	6
1	6	50	3		14	133		2	1	1	78	M	750		1215	207	20	64	1506	206 47	7
1	7	111	3	3	6	60	10	3	2	2	211	M	1400	4800	3500	268		100	3868	268 03	8
1	5	50	5	2	12	100	8	10		2	139	M	1320		2186	62	30	138	2416	63 86	9
1	7	29	1		5	32		1			86		1200		1234	54			1288	54 10	10
1	9	75	12	2	12	172	8	2		2	147		990		1838	144	54	120	2156	135 22	11
1	17	215	14		14	152	4	30	21	24	581		3000	23386	8489	1338	648	509	10984	1337 82	12
1	14	143			14	116	12	8	3	3	325		2400	620	4220	393	898	213	5724	419 90	13
1	11	166	2	1	16	136	11	12	7	3	219		2100		3954	640	34	433	5051	540 15	14
1	14	125	3	2	15	103	6	5	11	19	342		1800	17000	4757	595	97	235	5684	585 79	15
1	8	70	7		9	68	4	3		9	113	M	845		1817	54	15	100	1986	52 28	16
1	15	223	6		26	292	9	2	6	73	455		1987		3478	661	105	439	4683	640 09	17
1	9	100	5		15	130		4	1		148		1500	10000	2611	149	98	100	2958	118 00	18
1	6	64	6	2	12	128	6		2		134		1100	6700	1756	111	4	58	1929	114 96	19
1	8	205	11	1	14	232	24	11	1	1	233	R H	1500	4825	2800	285	62	124	3271	256 26	20
2	3	26			4	27	3				40		600		910	88	450	112	1560	88 00	1
							5	18			23	R H			348				348		
1	2	23	4		13	108		1	5	10	27		300	3127	513	55			568	55 00	2
1	2	8		8	11	148	11		9	1	92	M		460	2177	153	350	37	2717	153 00	3
1																					4
2	2	12			3	23					16		200	100	545			24	569	6 00	5
3			5		5	20	6	12		19	17		202		338			20	358		6
					10	85									156	2			158		
2	2	12	1		3	15					18		150		187	10		8	205	6 75	7
		16					1				18		200		223				223		
2	3	39	1		3	29		2	1	1	29	M	526		687	40		51	778	33 39	8
	1	13			2	25	1		1	2	14		104		145				145	90	
2	2	47			3	17				1	26		175		220				220		9
		27									7										
2	5	57	4	3	17	116	8			1	81		650		1321	34	10	31	1396	24 58	10
																				16 00	
															191				191	3 00	11
1																					
2	2	12			6	42		3			15		217		258	25	42		325	25 00	12
		20			3	50					14	M	236		270	25			295	26 10	
																				2 00	
																				1 10	
																				65 10	
													*2520								1
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																					4

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
Appendix to Roll				
1	C. A. Mitchell	Jubilee, B.C.		
2	W. Akitt	Armstrong, B.C.		
3	W. A. Wyllie, B.A.	Kamloops, B.C.		
4	Alex. Dunn, M.A., B.A., B.D.	Caulfield, West Vancouver, B.C.		
5	D. L. Oliver	Haney, B.C.		
6	T. Spencer Baynes, M.A.	3975 Blenheim St., Vancouver, B.C.		
7	Bryce Innis	4131 Eton St., Vancouver, B.C.		
8	H. B. Bonsall, M.A.	2252 W. 3rd Ave., Vancouver, B.C.		
9	J. J. Peterson	1527 W. 63rd St., Seattle, Wash.		
10	W. A. Greer	Vancouver, B.C.		
11	Alex. T. Macintosh	Langley Prairie, B.C.		
12	A. C. Wishart, B.A.	6991 Cypress St., Vancouver, B.C.		
13 Foreign Missionary	James Dunn, M.A.	Georgetown, British Guiana		
14	J. R. Wilson	1538 W. Marine Drive Vancouver, B.C.		
15	J. W. Stevenson, Ph.D.	Nelson, B.C.		
16	H. P. S. Luttrell, B.A.	5405 Trafalgar St., Vancouver, B.C.		
				Grand Total, 1937
				Grand Total, 1936
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	4
In S.S. Charges	9	Total on Roll	26
In Augmented Charges	9	Ministers on Appendix	16
In Ordained Mission Fields	4	Grand Total of Ministers	42

211 E. 28th St., North Vancouver, March 22, 1938.

†Reported by Treasurer.

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Victoria:—					
1 St. Andrew's	Vacant			A. M. Boyd, M.A.	1538 Elford St.
2 St. Paul's	James Hyde		511 Mary St.	G. McCandless	1587 Hampshire Rd.
Mission Fields					
1 Victoria, Knox	J. M. Niven (Supply)		107 Bushby St.	J. M. Cooper	1311 Gladstone Ave.
2 Nanaimo, St. Andrew's	Wm. Bell		300 Robson St.	Wm. Inglis	482 MacKleary St.
3 Gorge, Victoria	T. H. McAllister		3147 Qu'Appelle St.	Wm. Saunders	R.R. 3, Burnside Rd.
Erskine					
4 Duncan	E. Barnes		Duncan	T. Holway	Duncan
5 Sooke	S. Lundie, B.A.		Sooke		
6 Victoria, Chinese	M. F. Leung		1803 Blanchard St.	W. Lee	640 Cormorant St.
7 Port Alberni	Duncan Munro		Port Alberni	H. B. Currie	Alberni
Hollywood S. School					
Others on Roll					
1 Retired	T. S. Glassford, B.A.		Alberni, B.C.		
2 Retired	Peter McNabb		1490 Ocean View Rd.,	Victoria, B.C.	

45. PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937 $ c	Number
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													*1925								14
																					15
																					16
41	190	2468	99	28	342	3284	161	141	85	232	4417	14	32784	91918	65271	6595	3236	3485	78587	6491 64	
37	189	2551	79	27	346	2938	145	113	63	325	4456	13	32685	95780	62462	6204	2520	3543	74748	6165.31	
4	1		20	1		346	16	28	22			1	99		2809	391	716		3839	326.33	
		83		4						93	39			3862				58			

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	10	Number of Mission Fields	12
" Congregations in them	10	" Preaching Stations in them	21
" Augmented Charges	10	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	32
" Congregations in them	10	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	41

*Salary paid by Board of Missions.

J. C. McLEAN-BELL, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

46. PRESBYTERY OF VICTORIA

1	16	250	5		10	80	2	1	6	14	478		3000		5413	1344		1034	7791	1277.78	1
1	4	85	1		16	158	3		1	2	144		1800		2185	249	75	125	2634	248.86	2
																					1
1	4	30			8	30	6	1	2	2	74		480		1033	90		168	1291	89.53	
1	8	50	4		11	109		1	2		121	M	1100	2000	2731	69		54	2854	69.09	2
1	8	50	4		11	109		1	2		121	M	1100	2000	2731	69		54	2854	69.09	3
2	3	42	3		10	62	1			1	37		480		909	73	8	38	1028	72.97	
2	3	42	3		10	62	1			1	37		480		640	49		40	729	48.96	4
		25			20	95				3	32		410		780	70	10		860	65.85	5
1	3	25			4	20				3	35	M	681		774	76	23	64	937	61.00	6
1		22	2		3	31		3		3	67	M			701	213	624	75	1613	213.30	
1	5	21		2	7	115	4	1	2		15		600		835	60	11	56	962	60.00	7
1	3	24			7	72										21				21.00	
					3	29															
																					1
																					2

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1938 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Retired	E. Macqueen	2743 Quadra St., Victoria, B.C.		
2	Retired	A. W. Gazley, B.A.	1331 Pandora Ave., Victoria, B.C.		
3	Retired	W. E. Daly, LL.D.	3182 Albina St., Victoria, B.C.		
4	Retired	H. N. Maclean, Ph.D.	1774 Tolmie St., Vancouver, B.C.		
5	Retired	J. Mackie Niven	107 Bushby St., Victoria, B.C.		
6	Retired	Duncan Munro	Port Alberni, B.C.		
					Grand Total, 1937
					Grand Total, 1936
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	2
In S.S. Charges	1	Total on Roll	8
In Augmented Charges	5	Ministers on Appendix	6
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	14

March 8, 1938.

CENTRAL INDIA

1 Amkhut, First Bhil Church	Padre Daniel Hamiro	Amkhut, C.I., via Dohad.	Guman Bhai	Amkhut, C.I., via Dohad.
2 Sardi, Second Bhil Church	Padre Musa Naku	Amkhut, C.I., via Dohad.	Samson Bhai	Amkhut, C.I., via Dohad.
3 Mendha, Third Bhil Church	C. P. Young, B.A.	Bhabra, C.I., via Dohad	Dhulia Bhai	Bhabra, C.I., via Dohad
4 Jobat, Zion Church	Padre Jigiyo	Jobat, C.I., via Dohad	Mangtiya Bhai	Jobat, C.I., via Dohad
5 Chicheniya Church	Padre Tezlo, Mod.	Talawad, Borjhas, C.I. via Dohad.	Daula Bhai	Borjhas, C.I., via Dohad.
6 Barwani Church	A. E. Toombs	Barwani, C.I., via Mhow.	Dwarka Prasad Bhai	Khalghat, C.I., via Mhow.
7 AliRajpur (unorganized)	C. L. Wood	AliRajpur, C.I., via Dohad.		
8 Talawad Home Mission Field (unorganized).	Padre Tezlo	Talawad, Borjhas, C.I. via Dohad.		
	Others on Roll			
1 Missionary in Charge, Amkhut	J. Buchanan, B.A., D.D., K.I.H., M.D	Amkhut, Central India	via Dohad	
2 Mission Agent, Barwani	Padre Naku Bhai	Barwani, Central India	via Mhow	
3 Missionary in Charge, Jobat	D. E. McDonald	Jobat, Central India,	via Dohad	
4 Mission Agent, Jobat	Padre Dand Jalem	Kukshi, Central India,	via Mhow	
				Grand Total, 1937
				Grand Total, 1936
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	4
In S.S. Charges	2	Total on Roll	11
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	..
In Ordained Mission Fields	4	Grand Total of Ministers	11

Jobat, Central India, March 15, 1938.

46. PRESBYTERY OF VICTORIA—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1937

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1937 $ c	Number
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																					5
																					6
10	46	574	15	2	99	801	16	7	13	25	1022	3	8871	2000	16001	2314	751	1654	20699	2228 34	
10	48	577	17	1	93	681	14	16	17	75	1037	4	9135	3000	15813	2162	208	1562	19745	2180 76	
..	..	..	..	1	6	120	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	188	152	543	92	954	47 58	
..	2	3	2	..	..	..	..	9	4	50	15	1	264	1000	..	..	..	..	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	2	Number of Mission Fields	7
" Congregations in them	2	" Preaching Stations in them	8
" Augmented Charges		Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	9
" Congregations in them		" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	10

SAMUEL LUNDIE *Clerk of Presbytery.*

47. PRESBYTERY OF VINDHIYA AND SATPURA MOUNTAIN BHIL

													Stipend Paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational Purposes	Baptised Community	Amount Raised for other Missionary & Benevolent Purposes	Salary	Total Amount Raised for all Purposes	
													$	$	$		$	$	$	
4	4	63	19	3	21	228	3	..	..	4	183	M	120	..	471	620	25	..	496	1
8	2	49	15	5	3	105	..	..	..	1	38	..	80	..	80	331	..	..	80	2
3	4	44	10	4	9	145	6	..	..	..	44	M	..	..	76	217	66	†2000	142	3
5	3	41	11	2	9	82	3	..	..	3	66	..	120	200	238	162	33	..	271	4
2	2	9	4	..	1	40	..	..	..	..	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
5	2	20	2	..	5	40	..	2	..	..	22	M	..	216	129	119	26	†2266	155	6
1	..	4	..	..	2	20	..	..	..	..	..	M	..	..	..	30	25	†1842	25	7
2	..	4	1	..	1	10	..	..	..	..	2	M	..	..	..	16	..	..	..	8
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	†2394	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	†3263	..	3
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
30	17	234	62	14	51	670	12	2	..	8	375	5	329	416	994	1495	175	11766	1169	
30	15	229	48	10	53	663	22	2	..	7	369	6	320	482	972	1510	158	11676	1130	
..	2	5	14	4	..	7	..	..	..	1	6	..	..	..	22	..	17	90	39	
..	..	..	..	..	2	..	10	..	..	..	..	1	..	66	..	15	..	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	2	Number of Mission Fields	5
" Congregations in them	9	" Preaching Stations in them	13
" Augmented Charges	1	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	8
" Congregations in them	8	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	30

†Salary paid by Board of Missions.

D. E. McDONALD, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

1. SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1937

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1937.
1	Cape Breton and Newfoundland	19	10	18	10	17	1	2	37	202	2637	253	17	205	1908	155	219	16	97	3873	18	$ 31171	$ 71839	$ 77553	$ 5694	$ 2344	$ 2944	$ 88535	$ 6234.23
2	Pictou	22	10	14	13	39	7	11	64	231	3236	163	18	270	2380	132	51	41	216	6166	26	37146	33731	62324	6861	2389	5560	77134	7073.84
3	Halifax and Lunenburg	12	5	6	8	13	3	7	26	75	1359	53	10	153	1287	58	30	6	82	2412	11	19106	66632	40407	3531	1351	1672	47232	3746.85
4	Saint John	17	5	5	8	14	8	21	39	86	1215	120	14	160	1162	78	35	17	77	2271	12	20950	64000	36689	2317	590	1280	43770	2013.28
5	Miramichi	5	2	3	6	16	3	8	27	62	679	41	16	78	572	37	5	10	40	1266	8	10290	41900	16475	694	162	693	18024	859.28
6	Prince Edward Island	16	11	23	6	17	3	3	43	135	1821	111	10	200	1647	117	32	14	139	3346	16	21709	27342	39890	2591	1766	3141	47221	2807.98
	Grand Total, 1937	91	43	69	51	116	25	52	236	791	10947	741	85	1066	8956	577	372	104	651	19334	91	140372	305444	273338	21688	8602	15290	321916	22735.46
	Grand Total, 1936	87	44	75	49	110	24	48	233	780	10777	750	76	1031	8570	684	242	198	524	19156	85	134383	311998	267171	22836	7514	15789	316920	22247.90
	Increase	4	...	...	2	6	1	4	3	11	170	....	9	35	386	....	130	....	127	178	6	5989	.....	6167	.....	1088	.....	4996	487.56
	Decrease	....	1	6	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	9	....	.....	.....	107	....	94	....	.....	....	.....	6554	.....	1148	.....	499	.....	.....

2. SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1937

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1937.
7	Quebec	8	3	5	5	12	5	9	26	69	925	29	1	68	618	45	23	10	121	1509	13	$ 15278	$ 12950	$ 25034	$ 2525	$ 525	$ 1337	$ 29486	$ 2666.37
8	Montreal	49	23	28	6	6	12	19	53	379	6874	379	41	688	6571	490	374	358	449	13352	18	82837	387623	224400	30560	14890	14957	284807	29113.55
9	Glengarry	11	8	11	4	7	2	1	19	113	1454	106	5	142	1054	105	32	27	199	2960	12	20391	3300	35211	3539	1444	4237	46315	3415.56
10	Ottawa	14	6	7	7	13	1	2	22	150	2359	145	10	245	2079	115	91	45	104	4416	12	28001	38750	83475	16268	5810	3629	109190	16614.86
11	Lanark and Renfrew	12	7	9	4	8	4	10	27	120	1794	128	50	143	1343	142	56	32	56	3602	14	18694	91216	44107	3716	1112	2641	51685	3846.84
12	Brockville	13	11	20	1	2	2	4	26	106	1295	66	3	160	1150	95	37	30	67	2622	13	19834	4336	36311	3785	210	2942	43248	3349.88
	Grand Total, 1937	107	58	80	27	48	26	45	173	937	14701	853	110	1446	12815	992	613	502	996	28461	82	185035	538175	448538	60393	23991	29743	564731	59007.06
	Grand Total, 1936	109	61	82	22	40	28	51	173	941	14260	829	46	1480	11611	991	573	371	1343	28282	81	182038	547670	450586	59642	19861	29391	563433	57890.07
	Increase	.....	.....	.....	5	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	441	24	64	.....	1204	1	40	131	....	179	1	2997	.....	.....	751	4130	352	1298	1116.99
	Decrease	2	3	2	.....	.....	2	6	....	4	.....	.....	.....	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	347	.....	.....	.....	9495	2048	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

3. SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1937

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1937.
13	Kingston	13	10	14	3	7	1	1	22	116	1248	87	6	176	1279	80	126	24	130	3050	14	$ 20785	$ 31480	$ 44953	$ 4923	$ 1243	$ 2042	$ 55437	$ 5040.82
14	Peterborough	18	9	16	4	9	1	3	28	141	1805	98	7	236	1835	119	90	77	124	3665	11	23335	20950	89484	5516	496	4679	100175	5490.89
15	Lindsay	11	8	17	3	4	1	1	22	107	1237	70	10	163	1204	45	26	41	151	2602	16	16725	8515	34979	2511	377	2597	41304	2536.70
16	Toronto	117	47	56	6	8	16	21	85	844	12534	593	57	1737	17072	899	793	553	1353	28086	37	125800	742787	394800	60745	18394	30113	501357	63557.36
17	Orangeville	10	5	11	2	4	4	7	22	88	931	34	1	114	903	60	35	27	58	2018	10	11675	4275	20470	1521	473	1568	24032	1467.06
18	Barrie	23	19	41	3	9	6	6	56	242	2937	121	12	404	3269	151	103	77	342	5993	24	39316	29304	78970	7574	916	7026	94486	7212.28
19	North Bay and Temiskaming	4	3	3	3	4	7	13	20	61	689	56	2	101	817	38	88	13	45	1206	7	8666	25492	17627	985	279	717	19742	960.36
20	Algoma	5	3	4	.....	.....	3	9	13	48	758	40	3	86	870	18	44	9	104	1370	5	9006	56889	34605	1612	140	631	36988	1655.02
21	Saugeen	11	8	14	1	1	1	1	16	71	778	61	8	100	900	36	31	21	46	1986	9	13456	2911	22922	2895	492	1500	26776	1556.63
22	Guelph	17	16	23	.....	.....	2	2	25	254	3659	140	18	405	3464	213	125	82	453	8263	12	35568	27665	85295	16804	3091	7159	113644	17130.96
	Grand Total, 1937	229	128	199	25	46	42	64	309	1972	26576	1300	124	3522	31613	1659	1461	924	2806	58239	145	304332	950268	824105	105086	25901	58032	1013931	106608.08
	Grand Total, 1936	231	127	197	28	49	46	61	307	1941	26350	1405	146	3656	30713	1849	1402	845	2350	59055	146	306590	976845	775485	107780	30569	57459	991805	107943.79
	Increase	....	1	2	.....	.....	.....	3	2	31	226	.....	.....	.....	900	.....	59	79	456	.....	.....	.....	.....	48620	.....	.....	573	22126	.....
	Decrease	2	.....	.....	3	3	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	105	22	134	.....	190	.....	.....	.....	816	1	2258	26577	.....	2694	4668	.....	.....	1335.71

4. SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1937

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1937.
23	Hamilton	39	27	38	8	13	7	12	63	449	6997	339	49	732	7573	447	374	205	571	14280	31	$ 76021	$ 211508	$ 189452	$ 27582	$ 11327	$ 13019	$ 240375	$ 26435.23
24	Paris	16	8	9	3	7	.....	.....	16	148	1987	96	16	207	1813	111	74	39	128	4336	9	24552	33500	56696	7362	779	5071	68318	6756.19
25	London	32	17	28	4	9	1	1	38	221	2923	87	24	373	2705	152	154	113	233	6329	22	37479	43595	80108	8897	6062	6349	101529	8097.13
26	Chatham	16	11	16	3	5	.....	.....	21	134	2231	181	31	246	2551	174	143	96	155	4914	13	26043	62900	61813	7872	1060	4652	75406	6213.13
27	Sarnia	12	12	23	2	4	2	2	29	139	2032	89	33	261	1760	125	101	48	81	3337	14	24119	14000	53134	5343	1530	3936	63943	5238.65
28	Stratford	17	12	18	1	1	.....	.....	19	146	2348	117	8	237	2145	172	77	66	200	5072	12	24806	31152	62681	8504	873	5445	77473	8418.09
29	Huron	10	4	7	2	3	.....	.....	10	68	861	36	...	96	720	24	34	27	223	1968	6	11054	13473	22568	3282	411	2681	28942	3377.22
30	Maitland	10	12	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	120	1422	66	6	175	1331	72	49	32	87	3275	12	20378	4385	34597	5791	367	3718	44473	5785.71
31	Bruce	11	12	18	2	3	2	4	25	143	1660	87	13	179	1466	77	53	39	118	3512	13	22587	10306	40417	4403	2062	3087	49969	4496.59
	Grand Total, 1937	163	115	178	25	45	12	19	242	1568	22461	1098	180	2506	22064	1354	1059	665	1796	47023	132	267039	424819	601466	79036	24471	47958	750428	74817.94
	Grand Total, 1936	159	118	183	21	38	15	20	241	1579	22501	1095	157	2621	20973	1251	913	572	1805	47019	133	266849	349625	587888	77475	27519	47933	768827	74081.97
	Increase	4	.....	.....	4	7	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	3	23	.....	1091	103	146	93	.....	4	.....	190	75194	13578	1561	.....	25	.....	735.97
	Decrease	.....	3	5	.....	.....	3	1	.....	11	40	.....	.....	115	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	3048	.....	18399	.....

5. SYNOD OF MANITOBA—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1937

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1937.
32	Superior	5	3	4	....	....	9	11	15	47	1071	74	7	174	1680	92	18	14	33	2042	2	$ 8846	$ 24404	$ 24880	$ 2298	$ 937	$ 946	$ 29275	$ 2300.66
33	Winnipeg	11	4	4	4	4	6	10	18	88	965	51	8	175	1593	64	38	31	55	1968	8	12434	92502	36864	2113	473	1420	40870	2035.58
34	Brandon	7	2	2	7	12	12	16	30	76	951	81	17	122	1272	25	20	11	58	1725	15	10662	49875	27571	786	106	1075	30748	823.76
	Grand Total, 1937..	23	9	10	11	16	27	37	63	211	2987	206	32	471	4545	181	76	56	146	5735	25	31942	166781	89315	5197	1516	3441	100893	5160.00
	Grand Total, 1936..	23	9	10	11	19	27	34	63	217	3044	205	31	483	4399	175	102	49	232	5783	25	29762	170482	86130	4791	2026	2974	97062	4741.89
	Increase	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	1	1	....	146	6	....	7	....	....	....	2180	.....	3185	406	.....	467	3831	418.11
	Decrease	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	6	57	....	....	12	.....	....	26	....	86	48	....	.....	3701	.....	.....	510	.....	.....	.....

6. SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1937

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1937.
35	Regina	8	1	1	1	2	9	18	21	75	716	45	5	152	1271	99	26	47	70	1870	8	$ 7100	$ 32861	$ 18835	$ 1972	$ 444	$ 634	$ 22914	$ 1721.55
36	Moose Jaw	5	1	2	4	6	4	12	20	30	446	34	10	82	623	10	17	26	100	783	7	4300	17955	8289	613	530	474	10982	663.59
37	Prince Albert	6	2	3	1	3	5	19	25	27	804	56	13	87	1069	40	14	2	57	857	7	4520	10707	11327	480	142	426	11471	444.12
38	Saskatoon	8	2	2	3	6	5	16	24	52	846	44	4	114	1017	45	14	17	73	1277	6	8297	23943	16851	1012	112	546	18521	1035.30
	Grand Total, 1937..	27	6	8	9	17	23	65	90	184	2812	179	32	435	3980	194	71	92	300	4787	28	24217	85466	55302	4077	1228	2080	63888	3864.56
	Grand Total, 1936..	27	7	10	14	25	19	56	91	179	2885	196	28	408	4045	139	72	63	329	4965	28	25661	87602	59365	4062	754	2174	69111	4417.69
	Increase	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	9	....	5	....	....	4	27	.....	55	....	29	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	15	474	.....	.....	.....
	Decrease	....	1	2	5	8	....	....	....	1	....	73	17	....	.....	65	....	1	....	29	178	....	1444	2136	4063	.....	.....	94	5223	553.13

7. SYNOD OF ALBERTA—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1937

PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1937.
39 Peace River	2	....	....	....	....	7	27	27	8	297	25	3	44	350	7	....	....	2	113	6	$	$ 1308	$ 993	$ 821	$ 47	$ 105	$ 1967	$ 710.69
40 Edmonton	11	1	1	6	7	9	25	33	68	1094	82	10	196	1536	95	33	62	52	2080	9	11104	17801	28194	2560	291	1058	32190	2582.98
41 Red Deer	6	2	4	2	4	6	15	23	34	699	54	5	97	870	21	7	14	13	671	10	6392	2045	9462	757	161	385	10863	749.79
42 Calgary	10	3	3	5	9	2	2	14	89	1150	71	9	157	1206	49	72	49	52	2471	5	13181	72984	35462	3813	1165	1878	42416	3872.67
43 Macleod	2	2	2	1	1	3	9	13	28	399	40	1	62	531	8	7	5	12	687	3	5386	1250	9720	929	12	460	11475	871.36
Grand Total, 1937	31	8	10	14	21	27	78	110	227	3639	272	28	556	4493	180	119	130	131	6022	33	36063	95388	83831	8880	1676	3886	98911	8787.49
Grand Total, 1936	34	8	10	13	20	28	76	106	255	3865	300	35	547	4333	218	140	106	257	6535	37	38828	111472	90141	9322	3099	4008	106667	9511.72
Increase	....	....	....	1	1	....	2	4	....	....	....	....	9	160	....	....	24	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Decrease	3	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	28	226	28	7	....	....	38	21	....	126	513	4	2765	16084	6310	442	1423	122	7756	724.23

8. SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1937

PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1937.
44 Kootenay	2	1	1	1	1	5	7	9	17	500	47	7	68	752	27	18	6	20	409	5	$ 4982	$ 8700	$ 9201	$ 393	$ 18	$ 432	$ 10088	$ 366.32
45 Westminster	42	10	10	10	10	12	21	41	190	2468	99	28	342	3284	161	141	85	232	4417	14	32784	91918	65271	6595	3236	3485	78587	6491.64
46 Victoria	14	2	2	....	....	7	8	10	46	574	15	2	99	801	16	7	13	25	1022	3	8871	2000	16001	2314	751	1654	20699	2228.34
Grand Total, 1937	58	13	13	11	11	24	36	60	253	3542	161	37	509	4837	204	166	104	277	5848	22	46637	102618	90473	9302	4005	5571	109374	9086.30
Grand Total, 1936	56	14	14	11	11	21	32	57	255	3592	121	28	505	4302	172	135	82	408	5898	22	46932	107480	86267	8781	2840	5552	103459	8702.07
Increase	2	....	....	....	....	3	4	3	....	....	40	9	4	535	32	31	22	....	....	....	....	....	4206	521	1165	19	5915	384.23
Decrease	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	2	50	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	131	50	....	295	4862	....	....	....	....	....	....

GENERAL SUMMARY BY SYNODS TO DECEMBER 31st, 1937

STATISTICS AND FINANCES.

SYNODS	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1937	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1937.
1 Maritime Provinces....	91	43	69	51	116	25	52	236	791	10947	741	85	1066	8956	577	372	104	651	19334	91	140372	305444	273338	21688	8602	15290	321916	22735.46
2 Montreal and Ottawa...	107	58	80	27	48	26	45	173	937	14701	853	110	1446	12815	992	613	502	996	28461	82	185035	538175	448538	60393	23991	29743	564731	59007.06
3 Toronto and Kingston..	229	128	190	25	46	42	64	309	1972	26576	1300	124	3522	31613	1659	1461	924	2906	58239	145	304332	950268	824105	105086	26901	58032	1013931	106808.08
4 Hamilton and London..	163	115	178	25	45	12	19	242	1568	22461	1098	180	2506	22064	1354	1059	665	1796	47023	132	267039	424819	601466	79036	24471	47858	750428	74817.94
5 Manitoba.....	23	9	10	11	16	27	37	63	211	2987	206	32	471	4545	181	76	56	146	5735	25	31942	166781	88315	5197	1516	3441	100893	5160.00
6 Saskatchewan.....	27	6	8	9	17	23	65	90	184	2812	179	32	435	3980	194	71	92	300	4787	28	24217	85466	55302	4077	1228	2080	63888	3864.56
7 Alberta.....	31	8	10	14	21	27	78	110	227	3639	272	28	556	4493	180	119	130	131	6022	33	36063	95388	83831	8880	1676	3886	98911	8787.49
8 British Columbia.....	58	13	13	11	11	24	36	60	253	3542	161	37	509	4837	204	166	104	277	5848	22	46637	102618	90473	9302	4005	5571	109374	9086.30
Presbytery of Vindhiya and Satpura Mountain Bhil.....	11	....	....	....	....	8	....	30	30	17	234	62	14	51	670	12	2	....	375	5	320	416	994	....	175	....	1169	.....
Grand Total, 1937..	740	380	567	173	320	214	426	1313	3160	87899	4872	642	10562	93973	5358	3039	2577	7111	175824	568	1085957	2669875	2467362	293659	91585	166001	3025241	290066.89
Grand Total, 1936..	737	388	581	169	312	216	408	1301	3162	87503	4949	557	10784	89609	5501	3581	2236	7255	177062	563	1031363	2663656	2404005	294689	94340	165280	3018414	289437.10
Increase.....	3	....	....	4	8	....	18	12	....	396	....	85	....	4364	....	358	291	....	....	5	4594	5719	63357	....	....	721	6827	629.79
Decrease.....	....	8	14	....	....	2	....	....	2	....	77	....	222	....	148	....	....	144	1238	....	....	....	....	1030	2775	....	....	.....

CHANGES AFFECTING MINISTERS, STUDENTS LICENTIATES, AND CONGREGATIONS, AS REPORTED BY CLERKS OF SYNODS

THE SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

List of Changes During Synod Year

PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON AND NEWFOUNDLAND.

Ordinations:

Howard A. Doig, Albert Bridge, N.S., November 10th, 1936.
John F. Nute, B.A., Lake Ainslie, N.S., June 16th, 1937.
Alexander Mills, B.A., Framboise, N.S., June 23rd, 1937.

Inductions:

Howard A. Doig, Albert Bridge, November 10th, 1936.
John F. Nute, B.A., Lake Ainslie, June 16th, 1937.
Alexander Mills, B.A., Framboise, June 23rd, 1937.
Herbert J. Scott, Grand Falls, Nfld., September 29th, 1937.

Added to Appendix:

Duncan McColl, Glencoe, Scotland.
Karam Guergis, Toronto, Ont.
Lauchlin Beaton, Markham, Ont.

Licensures:

John F. Nute, September 1st, 1936.

PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU.

Ordination:

Chas. H. Foote, B.A., October 9th, 1936, Wallace, N.S.

Inductions:

H. Wilson Sieber, B.A., Hopewell, September 8th, 1936.
Chas. H. Foote, B.A., Wallace, October 9th, 1936.

Translations:

H. W. Sieber, B.A., East R. St. Mary's to Hopewell, September 8th, 1936.
Lambert Olgers, B.A., Gairloch to Campbellton, June 24th, 1937.

Resignations:

P. W. Murray, B.A., Barney's River, September 30th, 1936.
H. I. Fell, B.A., Th.M., River John, November 15th, 1936.
D. G. Ross, Stellarton, January 12th, 1937.
Frank Baird, M.A., D.D., First Church, Pictou, July 31, 1937.

Appointments:

P. W. Murray, B.A., to Little Harbor, etc., October 1st, 1936.
G. S. Mitchell, B.D., Westville, November 15th, 1936.
S. J. Macarthur, M.A., B.D., to Stellarton, April 9th, 1937.

Added to Appendix:

D. G. Ross, Kentville, N.S.
Frank Baird, M.A., D.D., Chipman, N.B.
H. S. Philpott, B.A., B.D., Tatamagouche, N.S.

PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU—*Continued.*

Certificate Granted:
H. I. Fell, B.A., Th.M., November 15th, 1936, to Presbyterian Church, U.S.A.

Changes in Status of Charges:
Wallace and Stake Road raised from Mission to Augmentation Charge, October 9th, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF HALIFAX AND LUNENBURG.

Induction:
Geo. M. Dix, M.A., Truro, January 21st, 1937.

Resignations:
Arthur J. Sinclair, B.D., December 8th, 1936, Lunenburg, N.S.
D. A. MacKinnon, Windsor, December 8th, 1936.

Appointment:
R. S. Quigley, Ph.D., to Elmsdale, etc., May 2nd, 1937.

Certificates Granted:
F. Oliver, July 9th, 1937.
Arthur J. Sinclair, May, 1937.
D. A. MacKinnon, June 9th, 1937.

Deaths:
D. O. MacKay, B.A., December 6th, 1936.
G. R. Allan, B.D., April 22nd, 1937.
W. M. Fraser, B.A., B.Sc., July 29th, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF SAINT JOHN.

Translation:
S. J. Macarthur, M.A., B.D., to Stellarton, April, 1937.

Appointment:
E. V. Orsborn, to Moncton, N.B., December, 1936.

Added to Appendix:
S. J. Macarthur, M.A., B.D., January 1st, 1937.

Removed from Appendix:
S. J. Macarthur, M.A., B.D., September 15th, 1937.

Certificate Granted:
S. J. Macarthur, M.A., B.D., September 15th, 1937.

Leave of Absence:
G. L. Fulford, B.A., St. Stephen, September 14th, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF MIRAMICHI.

Inductions:
F. G. Purnell, Millerton, September 1st, 1936.
F. R. Meredith, New Mills, September 15th, 1936.
Lambert Olgers, B.A., Campbellton, June 24th, 1937.

Translations:
G. S. Mitchell, B.D., Campbellton to Westville, November 15th, 1936.
A. R. Gibson, Chatham to Cardinal, Ont., April 30th, 1937.
J. M. Kik, B.A., Dalhousie to Montreal, August 30th, 1937.

Appointments:
M. E. Genge, D.D., to Harcourt, etc., March 4th, 1937.
P. M. Sampson, to Sunny Corner, etc., September 9th, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

Ordinations:
John C. MacNeill, Marshfield, September 22nd, 1936.
Wallace S. Wadland, Belfast, July 27th, 1937.

Inductions:
John C. MacNeill, Marshfield, September 22nd, 1936.
Wallace S. Wadland, Belfast, July 27th, 1937.

Translations:
D. L. Griffiths, Belfast to Leggatt's Point, 1936.
M. E. Genge, D.D., Tryon to Harcourt, N.B., March, 1937.

Resignations:
D. L. Griffiths, Belfast, November 17th, 1936.
M. E. Genge, D.D., Tryon, February 15th, 1937.
Walter McCleary, Summerside, April 1st, 1937.

Added to Appendix:
Walter McCleary, Toronto, Ont.

Removed from Appendix:
J. Keir Fraser, B.D., D.D., July 13th, 1937.

Added to Roll by Leave of Assembly:
J. Keir Fraser, B.D., D.D., July 13th, 1937.

Leave of Absence:
R. Moorhead-Legate, D.D., 3 months from May 1st, 1937.

FRANK BAIRD,
Clerk of Synod.

THE SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

LIST OF CHANGES DURING SYNOD YEAR

PRESBYTERY OF QUEBEC.

Inductions:
A. D. MacLellan inducted to the charge of Scotstown and Lingwick, July 8th, 1937.
Wm. Reynolds appointed to Inverness and Adderly, June 20th, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL.

Licensing of Students:
Donald MacMillan, April 14th, 1937.
Oliver Nugent, April 14th, 1937.
Robert U. MacLean, April 14th, 1937.
Alexander Mills, April 14th, 1937.

Ordinations:
R. U. MacLean, May 10th, 1937.
H. L. Simpson, July 2nd, 1937.

Inductions:
H. L. Simpson, July 2nd, 1937.
J. M. Kik, September 3rd, 1937.

Resignations:
D. O. Lavis, April 30th, 1937.
W. D. Reid, July 31st, 1937.

Depositions:
D. O. Lavis, September 17th, 1937.

Death:
G. A. MacLennan, D.D., September 2nd, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY.

Ordination:
Donald MacMillan, July, 1937.

Inductions:
Donald MacMillan, July, 1937.
R. W. Ellis, Maxville, Ont.
J. G. Berry, Martintown, Ont.
G. S. Lloyd, Cornwall, September 9th, 1937.

Receptions:
G. S. Lloyd, Presbytery of Barrie.
J. G. Berry, Presbytery of Ottawa.

Deaths:
P. A. MacLeod, Maxville, Ont.
J. D. MacKenzie, Avonmore, Ont.
D. A. Robertson, Kirk Hill.

Changes in Congregations:
Monkland and Gravel Hill joined to Avonmore, Ont.

PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA.

Inductions:
H. F. Dann-Fort, Coulonge, January, 1937.
A. N. Reid, Richmond, February, 1937.
N. F. Sharkey, Bristol, May, 1937.
D. A. McKinnon, Manotick, June, 1937.

Resignation:
J. G. Berry from Kinburn, January, 1937.

Retirement:
J. M. Kelloch.

Death:
W. H. Leathem, D.D., St. Andrew's Church, Ottawa, February 27th, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE.

Induction:
A. R. Gibson to Cardinal, April 30th, 1937.

Resignation:
R. C. Archer from Cardinal, November 1st, 1936.

ALLAN S. REID,
Clerk of Synod.

THE SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Changes affecting Ministers, Students, Licentiates and Congregations within the bounds of the Synod of Toronto and Kingston covering the Synod year ending May 1st, 1938.

PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON.

Deaths:
R. J. Craig, D.D., June 15th, 1937.
A. G. Cameron, D.D., February 21st, 1937.

Resignations:
A. G. Cameron, D.D., August 31st, 1937.
S. M. Scott, B.A., December 31st, 1937.

Receptions:
Peter Jamieson from Presbytery of Westminster.
J. H. Douglas from Presbytery of Prince Edward Island.

PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON—*Continued.*

Induction:
Peter Jamieson into Wilton, etc., December 14th, 1937.

Appointment:
J. H. Douglas to Ordained Mission duty at Deseronto, etc., January 1st, 1938.

Translation:
S. M. Scott, B.A., to Presbytery of Maitland, December 31st, 1937.

Changes Affecting Congregations:
The following six (6) preaching stations were divided into two (2) pastoral charges.
First.—Deseronto, Camden East, and Ernestown.
Second.—Wilton, Glenvale, and Sunbury.

PRESBYTERY OF PETERBOROUGH.

Induction:
D. K. Perrie, B.D., at Norwood, May 21st, 1937.

Demission:
Robert Boyle, B.D., resigned from Lakefield, and Lakeview, and was retired by General Assembly.

Changes Affecting Congregations:
Lakefield, Lakeview and Omemee were united to form a three (3) point charge.
Norwood was added to the Congregation of Hastings and Havelock forming a three (3) point charge.

PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY.

Death:
Duncan A. Ferguson, B.A., May 11th, 1937.

Resignation:
Duncan Munro, June 30th, 1937.

Induction:
William McRoberts, M.Th., into Bobcaygeon, October 26th, 1937.

Translation:
Duncan Munro transferred to Presbytery of Victoria.

Reception:
William McRoberts, M.Th., from Presbytery of Council Bluffs, Iowa, U.S.A.

PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO.

Deaths:
George Miller Dunn, July 28th, 1937.
John Stenhouse, M.B., November 25th, 1937.
R. J. Campbell, January 15th, 1938.

Students Licensed: April 14th, 1938.
Robert Hugh Armstrong, B.A.; Thomas G. M. Bryan, B.A.; Wilfrid F. Butcher, B.A.; George Lees Douglas, B.A.; Jesse Reynolds Esler, B.A.; Frederic C. Knox, B.A.; Drummond W. Oswald, M.A.; Stanley E. Smith, B.A.; William E. Smyth, B.A.; Joseph E. Taylor; John S. Wright, B.A.; James M. Young, B.A.; Alexander F. McLean, B.A.

Ordinations:
J. Stanley Glen, M.A., Ph.D., to Home Mission duty at Aurora, June 28th, 1937.
Joseph E. Taylor to Home Mission duty at Markdale, etc., Presbytery of Orangeville, April 14th, 1938.

Inductions:
J. Y. Fraser into Victoria, Toronto, September 13th, 1937.
R. H. M. Kerr, B.A., into Streetsville, etc., December 20th, 1937.
D. C. Smith, B.D., into Oakwood, January 18th, 1938.
S. H. Hill, B.D., into Emmanuel, January 20th, 1938.
J. V. Mills, B.Th., into High Park, February 18th, 1938.
T. J. Watson, B.D., into Rogers Memorial, February 24th, 1938.

PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO—*Continued.*

Receptions:
R. H. M. Kerr, B.A., from Presbytery of Bruce.
D. C. Smith, B.D., from Presbytery of Hamilton.
S. H. Hill, B.D., from Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew.
J. V. Mills, Th.B., from Presbytery of Bruce.
T. J. Watson, B.D., from Presbytery of Montreal.

Appointments:
Charles Steinmetz to Hungarian Mission duty Toronto.
A. C. Jamieson, B.A., to Home Mission duty at Agincourt.
J. S. Roe, B.A., to Home Mission duty at Woodbridge and Knox Vaughan.
J. Stanley Glen, Ph.D., to Home Mission duty at Aurora.
M. E. Burch, B.A., to Home Mission duty at King.
W. Harold Reid, M.A., to Oshawa, stated supply.
Andrew Hood to Macpherson, Toronto, stated supply.
Kenneth MacLennan to Todmorden, Westminster, stated supply.
R. J. Koffend to Home Mission duty at Evangel Hall.
M. Zeidman, B.D., to Mission duty at Scott Institute.
K. R. MacFayden, B.D., to Home Mission duty at Sutton and Mt. Pleasant.
L. Standret to Ukrainian Mission, Oshawa.
M. Fesenko, Th.B., to Ukrainian Mission, Toronto.
Ma T. K. Won to Chinese Mission, Toronto.

Resignations:
John Mustard, B.A., June 30th, 1937.
J. B. Skene, B.A., June 30th, 1937.
John McNab, B.D., July 31st, 1937.
H. E. Abraham, D.D., February 1st, 1938.
F. C. Harper, B.D., February 6th, 1938.

Translations:
J. Y. Fraser from Streetsville to Victoria, Toronto.
R. K. Cameron, M.A., from Rogers Memorial to First Church, Edmonton.
J. N. McFaul, B.A., from Milton to Knox, Stratford.
A. C. Stewart, M.A., from Chalmers to Midland.

Restoration:
Andrew Hood to full privileges.

Changes Affecting Congregations:
Macpherson, Toronto, disjoined from session of Rogers Memorial and continued as Home Mission.
Westminster, Todmorden, raised to status of augmented charge.
Divine Services began in John Wanless School, North Toronto.

PRESBYTERY OF ORANGEVILLE.

Resignations:
T. O. Miller, B.A., from Markdale, etc., October 31st, 1937.
J. A. Grant from Erin and Ospringe, March 31st, 1938.

Appointment:
Joseph E. Taylor to Home Mission duty at Markdale, etc.

Changes Affecting Congregations:
Markdale and Flesherton joined to Priceville and Swinton Park to form one pastoral charge, April 1st, 1938.

PRESBYTERY OF BARRIE.

Licensed:
R. A. Sinclair, B.A., April 18th, 1938.

Ordinations:
Robert Hugh Armstrong, B.A., April 18th, 1938.
R. A. Sinclair, B.A., April 18th, 1938.

Appointments:
Robert H. Armstrong, B.A., to Home Mission duty at Cookstown, First Essa, and Angus.
R. A. Sinclair, B.A., to Home Mission duty, Presbytery of Red Deer.

PRESBYTERY OF BARRIE—*Continued.*

Inductions:
James Ritchie, M.A., at Hillsdale, November 16th, 1937.
A. C. Stewart, M.A., at Midland, December 30th, 1937.

Receptions:
James Ritchie, M.A., from Presbytery of Kootenay.
A. C. Stewart, M.A., from Presbytery of Toronto.

Translations:
J. K. West, B.D., from Hillsdale to Presbytery of Stratford, May 23rd, 1937.
G. S. Lloyd, B.D., from Midland to Cornwall, September 5th, 1937.
M. W. Heslip from Penetanguishene to Prescott, March 28th, 1938.

PRESBYTERY OF NORTH BAY AND TEMISKAMING.

Translations:
Herbert J. Scott from North Bay to Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland, September 5th, 1937.
W. J. Forbes Robertson from Englehart to Synod of British Columbia, October 12th, 1937.
John Lennox, D.D., from Appendix to Barrie Presbytery, March 24th, 1938.

Receptions:
P. W. Graham, M.A., from Carberry, Man., April 3rd, 1938.
John A. Sutherland, M.A., from Presbytery of Toronto, December, 1937.

Appointments:
P. W. Graham, M.A., to Englehart, April 3rd, 1938.
John M. Sutherland, M.A., to North Bay, December, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF ALGOMA.

Changes Affecting Congregations:
The following preaching stations have been added to Hawk Junction: Cline Lake, Lochalsh and Hellen Junction.

PRESBYTERY OF SAUGEEN.

Reception:
S. W. Hirtle, B.A., from Presbytery of Guelph.

Induction:
S. W. Hirtle, B.A., into Durham, December 3rd, 1937.

Appointment:
W. N. Ferguson, to Stated supply at Mount Forest.

Translation:
David Gowdy, B.A., to Presbytery of Paris, September 1st, 1937.

Resignations:
Robert Honeyman from Amos, etc., September, 1937.
S. Lawrence from Rothsay, June, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF GUELPH.

Death:
A. J. MacGillivray, M.A., D.D., of Knox Church, Guelph. A past Moderator of the General Assembly, January 1st, 1938.

Reception:
Findlay G. Stewart from Presbytery of Hamilton, March 4th, 1938.

Induction:
Findlay G. Stewart into St. Andrew's, Kitchener, March 4th, 1938.

Translation:
J. Fleming from Waterloo to Chesley, March 27th, 1938.

Resignation:
G. Taylor-Munro from St. Andrew's, Kitchener, June 20th, 1937.

JNO. LINDSAY,
Clerk of Synod.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

List of Changes During Synod Year

Presbytery of Hamilton.

Ordinations:

Ross C. MacLean, B.A., May 11th, 1937, at Carluke.
Malcolm C. Young, B.A., May 17th, 1937, at Waterdown.
Hugh F. Davidson, B.A., February 3rd, 1938, at Fort Erie, N.

Induction:

D. T. L. McKerroll, D.D., May 7th, 1937, at Niagara-on-lake.

Translations:

R. Duncanson, B.A., on October 31st, 1937, Ft. Erie to S. Nissouri.
D. C. Smith, B.D., on December 26th, 1937, Stamford to Oakwood (Toronto).
F. G. Stewart on February 28th, 1938, Niagara Falls to Kitchener.

Resignations:

D. H. Currie, Smithville, on December 31st, 1938.
Frank Kovacs, Hamilton (Hungarian Congregation) on March 15th, 1938.

Designation:

Miss Grace Wood, on September 24th, 1937, at W. Flamboro (Deaconess).

Appendix to Roll:

Mr. F. Oliver, September 7th, 1937.

Presbytery of Paris.

Inductions:

David Gowdy, B.A., at Paris, September 4th, 1937.
Arthur C. Cochrane, Ph.D., at Tillsonburg, December 30th, 1937.

Resignation:

Robert Bruce, Tillsonburg.

Presbytery of Chatham.

Inductions:

E. A. Wright, at Wallaceburg on September 9th, 1937.
William Moore, B.A., at Puce and Essex on September 30th, 1937.

Translation:

J. A. Isaac on June 27th, 1937, Puce to Bethel etc., London Presbytery.

Presbytery of Sarnia.

Ordination and Induction:

W. R. Adams, B.A., April 23rd, 1937, at Corunna.

Resignation:

W. W. McRae, B.A., November 30th, 1937, of Brigden.

Presbytery of Stratford.

Inductions:

James Reidie, May 8th, 1937, at Cromarty.
J. K. West, B.A., B.D., May 15th, 1937, at Monkton.
J. N. McFaul, B.A., November 4th, 1937, St. Andrew's, Stratford.

Resignation:

Geo. P. Duncan, D.D., June, 1937, St. Andrew's, Stratford.

Presbytery of Huron.

Inductions:

A. M. Boyle, B.A., at Blyth, September 30th, 1937.
Gordon A. Peddie, B.A., at Clinton, July 20th, 1937.

Resignation:

Harold C. Feast, of Seaforth, December 14th, 1937.

Presbytery of Maitland.

Inductions:

J. D. Wilkie, B.A., November 18th, 1937, at Teeswater.
S. M. Scott, B.A., December 30th, 1937, at Kincardine.

Translations:

F. B. Allan, on May 2nd, 1937, from Teeswater to Quincy, Mass.
Gordon R. Taylor, M.A., on July 26th, 1937, Kincardine to Toronto.
William Moore, B.A., on September 26th, 1937, Brussels to Puce.

Presbytery of Bruce.

Ordination and Induction:

Hugh G. Cleghorn, April 20th, 1937, at Hanover.

Translations:

R. H. M. Kerr, B.A., December, 1937, Chesley to Streetsville.
John V. Mills, B.Th., February, 1938, Walkerton to Toronto.

Resignations:

Horace Kaye, B.Th., April 1st, 1938, Wiarton.
J. T. Strachan, B.D., April, 1938, Owen Sound.

Austin L. Budge,
Clerk of Synod.

SYNOD OF MANITOBA

List of Changes During Synod Year

Presbytery of Winnipeg.

Ordination:

R. M. Esler, at St. James, April 15th, 1937.

Certificate Received:

J. J. Cowan, B.A., from Presbytery of Superior, November, 1937.

Death:

George W. Faryon, B.D., April 20th, 1937.

Presbytery of Brandon.

Resignations:

Robert Taylor, B.A., from Lenore and Breadalbane on September 7th, 1937.
C. J. MacKay, B.A., from Portage la Prairie on September 2nd, 1937.
P. W. Graham, M.A., from Carberry and Wellwood on March 23rd, 1938.

David Johnstone,
Clerk of Synod.

THE SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

List of Changes During Synod Year

Presbytery of Regina.

Ordination:

Scarth Macdonnell, B.A., on April 27th, 1937, at Regina and appointed to North Side Church, Regina.

Induction:

James Evans, B.A., into the pastoral charge of Indian Head and Qu'Appelle, on November 16th, 1937.

Transferred:

L. M. Sharpe, B.A., from Whitewood and Broadview Mission to Presbytery of London, Ont., September 13th, 1937.

MOOSE JAW PRESBYTERY.

Induction:

C. Younger-Lewis, B.A., into St. Andrew's, Swift Current, November 9th, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE ALBERT.

Appointment:

J. A. Gowland, B.A., to Tisdale, Sask., September 1st, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF SASKATOON.

Ordinations and Appointments:

John Brent at Coleville, Sask., on September 8th, 1937 and appointed to Coleville.

R. Malcolm Ransom at Rosetown, Sask., on September 9th and appointed to Rosetown Congregation.

Translation:

J. Alan Munro, B.A., from Rosetown, Sask. to Chilliwack, B.C., August 1st, 1937.

THOMAS MURPHY,
Clerk of Synod.

THE SYNOD OF ALBERTA

LIST OF CHANGES DURING SYNOD YEAR

PRESBYTERY OF PEACE RIVER.

Translations:

W. L. Atkinson, Wanham to Kenora, September, 1937.

Gordon A. Peddie, B.A., Fort St. John, B.C., called to Clinton, Ont.

PRESBYTERY OF EDMONTON.

Induction:

Ross K. Cameron, M.A. into First Presbyterian Church, Edmonton, October 29th, 1937.

Appointment:

M. S. Blackburn of Medicine Hat to Vegreville and Ranfurly, September 15th, 1937.

Changes Affecting Congregations:

McQueen, North Edmonton, dissolved April 7th, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF RED DEER.

Induction:

D. StC. Campbell, to Carstairs, April, 1937.

Resignations:

D. K. Andrews, from Innisfail, July, 1937.

R. S. Stevens, from Sylvan Lake, March, 1938.

Appointment:

R. L. Taylor of Lenore, Man. to Innisfail, September, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF CALGARY.

Ordination:

Donald B. Cram, Calgary, October 28th, 1937.

Induction:

C. McKay Cameron, to Banff, March 5th, 1937.

Resignation:

M. G. Garabedian, B.A., B.D., from High River, March 31st, 1938.

Appointment:

Donald B. Cram, to Three Hills, September, 1937.

Death:

S. B. Hillocks, B.A., LL.B., Calgary, September 3rd, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF MACLEOD.

Induction:

W. D. Grant, Hollingsworth to Medicine Hat, February 17th, 1938.

Resignations:

M. S. Blackburn, from Medicine Hat, September, 1937.

J. M. Hepburn from Lethbridge, December, 1937.

F. D. ROXBURGH,
Clerk of Synod.

THE SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

LIST OF CHANGES DURING SYNOD YEAR

PRESBYTERY OF KOOTENAY.

Translation:

J. M. Ritchie, M.A., Nelson, B.C., to Hillsdale, Ontario, November 8th, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER.

Inductions:

Harry Lennox, B.A., Kerrisdale, January 7th, 1937.

Sidney J. Sharkey, B.A., B.D., St. Andrew's, New Westminster, April 2nd, 1937.

J. Alan Munro, B.A., Chilliwack, July 3rd, 1937.

J. McTurk, Richmond, October 7th, 1937.

Resignation:

W. D. Grant Hollingworth, from Prince Rupert, October 19th, 1937.

Appointments:

Harold E. Funston, B.A., to Stewart, May 11th, 1937.

Thomas Roulston, to St. Aidan's, May 11th, 1937.

W. J. Forbes Robertson, to Murrayville, November 9th, 1937.

Certificates Received:

Harry Lennox, B.A., from Presbytery of Calgary.

H. P. S. Luttrell, B.A., from Presbytery of Victoria, Appendix.

H. G. Funston, B.A., from the Presbytery of Bruce.

Thomas Roulston, from Presbytery of Edmonton.

J. Alan Munro, from Presbytery of Saskatoon.

J. W. Stevenson, Ph.D., from Presbytery of Montreal, Appendix.

Certificate Granted:

W. D. Grant Hollingworth, to Presbytery of MacLeod.

Deaths:

D. McKenzie, February 15th, 1937.

R. J. Douglas, D.D., October 27th, 1937.

H. C. Fraser, M.A., November 3rd, 1937.

PRESBYTERY OF VICTORIA.

Certificates:

Received—Duncan Munro, from Presbytery of Lindsay, placed on Appendix Roll, September 1st, 1937.

Issued—Peter Jamieson, to Presbytery of Kingston, November 6th, 1937.

S. LUNDIE,
Clerk of Synod.

LIST OF CLERKS OF SYNODS AND PRESBYTERIES AND

	Synods and Presbyteries	Clerks	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Pension Fund
	I. Synod of the Maritime Provinces	Frank Baird, D.D.	W.McC.Thomson, D.D	W.McC.Thomson, D.D.	W. M. Townsend, D.D.
1	Cape Breton and Newfoundland	A. D. MacKinnon	Quincy A. McDowell	Quincy A. McDowell	J. W. Smith
2	Pictou	Norman D. Kennedy	F. G. MacDonald		
3	Halifax and Lunenburg	H. S. Graham	Geo. M. Dix	Geo. M. Dix	H. S. Graham
4	Saint John	Samuel Davies, Ph.D	W.M.Townsend,D.D.	J. A. Morison, D.D.	
5	Miramichi	L. Olgers	P. M. Sampson	P. M. Sampson	M. E. Genge, D.D.
6	Prince Edward Island	W. O. Rhoad	E. J. White	E. J. White	R. H. Stavert
	II. Synod of Montreal and Ottawa	Allan S. Reid, D.D	W. D. Reid, D.D. A. M. Hill, D.D	W. D. Reid, D.D. A. M. Hill, D.D.	J. Burkholder
7	Quebec	Robert Stewart	J. Lloyd Hughes	J. Lloyd Hughes	
8	Montreal	Allan S. Reid, D.D	A. M. Hill, D.D	A. M. Hill, D.D	D. M. Rowat
9	Glengarry	W. B. MacCallum	E. E. Preston	G. S. Lloyd	A. D. MacRae
10	Ottawa	Hugh Cameron, D.D	H. G. Lowry	H. G. Lowry	Wm. Patterson
11	Lanark and Renfrew	James Foote	A. J. Fowlie	A. J. Fowlie	
12	Brockville	Wm. Merrilees	W. D. Turner	W. D. Turner	J. Burkholder
	III. Synod of Toronto and Kingston	John Lindsay	W. T. McCree	W. T. McCree	John Lindsay
13	Kingston	C. E. Dougan, Ph.D	A. E. Cameron	A. E. Cameron	W. J. Walker
14	Peterborough	Gordon R. Duncan	A. T. Barr, Ph.D	A. T. Barr, Ph.D	D. A. McKenzie
15	Lindsay	R. Simpson	R. Russell	R. Russell	J. C. Robinson
16	Toronto	J. B. Skene	J. G. Inkster, D.D	F. C. Vesey	John Lindsay
17	Orangeville	T. O. Miller	Wm. Mackintosh	Wm. Mackintosh	J. H. Woodside, LL.D
18	Barrie	N. R. D. Sinclair	P. W. MacInnes	B. D. Armstrong	G. C. Little
19	North Bay and Temiskaming	E. J. Kerr	E. J. Kerr	E. J. Kerr	
20	Algoma	F. W. Acheson	Roy G. Stewart	Roy G. Stewart	
21	Saugeen	Robert Honeyman	A. L. Howard, Ph.D	A. L. Howard, Ph.D	Robert Honeyman
22	Guelph	E. A. Thomson	M. B. Davidson, D.D	J. D. Smart, Ph.D	Col. W. M. O. Lochead
	IV. Synod of Hamilton and London	Austin L. Budge	J. M. Macgillivray	J. M. Macgillivray	D.T.L.McKerroll, D.D.
		Austin L. Budge	W. A. Graham	Robert Moynan	Peter A. Dunn
23	Hamilton	E. G. Thompson	H. H. Turner, Ph.D	H. H. Turner, Ph.D	J. W. Whillans
24	Paris	John McNair, D.D	J. A. MacLean, D.D.	J. A. MacLean, D.D.	
25	London	J. C. Herbison	A. Neil Miller	J. L. W. McLean	William Moore
26	Chatham	R. T. Rutherdale	H. D. Cameron	H. D. Cameron	D. Ritchie
27	Sarnia	W. J. West	A. R. Gibson	A. R. Gibson	A. W. Hare
28	Stratford	D. C. Hill	J. H. Barnett, Ph.D	J. H. Barnett, Ph.D	A. M. Boyle
29	Huron	John Pollock	C. H. MacDonald	C. H. MacDonald	G. M. Young
30	Maitland	P. Reith	H. G. Cleghorn	H. G. Cleghorn	P. Reith
31	Bruce				
	V. Synod of Manitoba	D. Johnstone	J. A. McMahon	J. A. McMahon	N. G. Smith
		J. A. McMahon	Judge John McKay	Judge John McKay	J. A. Stevenson
32	Superior	David Johnstone	A. Renshaw	A. Renshaw	Col. J. B. Mitchell
33	Winnipeg	W. J. Allen	M. P. Floyd	M. P. Floyd	W. Weir
34	Brandon				
	VI. Synod of Saskatchewan	Thomas Murphy	Gordon S. Baulch	Gordon S. Baulch	R. G. McKay
		James Evans			
35	Regina	C. Younger-Lewis	C. Younger-Lewis	C. Younger-Lewis	W. J. Moffat
36	Moose Jaw	K. H. Palmer	R. G. McKay	R. G. McKay	Wm. Moore
37	Prince Albert	Thomas Murphy	Gordon S. Baulch	Gordon S. Baulch	
38	Saskatoon				
	VII. Synod of Alberta	F. D. Roxburgh, D.D	T. A. Rodger	T. A. Rodger	R. H. Williams
39	Peace River	C. E. Fisher	C. E. Fisher	C. E. Fisher	J. M. Fraser
40	Edmonton	F. D. Roxburgh, D.D	F. D. Roxburgh, D.D	F. D. Roxburgh, D.D	
41	Red Deer	D. St.C. Campbell	Hugh Jack	Hugh Jack	Hugh Jack
42	Calgary	R. H. Williams	T. A. Rodger	T. A. Rodger	R. H. Williams
43	Macleod	A. J. Sinclair	W.D.G.Hollingsworth	W. D. G. Hollingsworth	Duncan Matheson
	VIII. Synod of British Columbia	Samuel Lundie F. G. St. Denis	A. C. Wishart	A. C. Wishart	D. M. Sutherland
44	Kootenay	F. G. St. Denis	F. G. St. Denis	F. G. St. Denis	F. G. St. Denis
45	Westminster	J. C. McLean-Bell, Phm.B.	A. C. Wishart	A. C. Wishart	A. H. McRobbie
46	Victoria	Samuel Lundie	James Hyde	James Hyde	W. G. McLaren

CONVENERS OF STANDING COMMITTEES—FOR 1938

Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies	Colleges	Evangelism and Church Life and Work	Historical Committee	Statistics	Budget or General Interests	
Quincy A. McDowell		William Verwolf	S. Buchanan Carey	Frank Baird, D.D.	Hugh Munroe, D.D.	
A. D. MacKinnon	Chas. S. Miller	M. M. MacOdrum, Ph.D.	H. A. Doig	A. D. MacKinnon	M. M. MacOdrum, Ph.D.	1
Wm. Ooms	Norman D.Kennedy	H. Wilson Sieber		Norman D.Kennedy	Hugh Munroe,D.D.	2
A. Allen		C. M. Kerr, Ph.D		H. S. Graham	W. A. Cunningham	3
V. E. Osborne	Samuel Davies,Ph.D	R. J. Kirkland		Samuel Davies, Ph.D.	C. A. McVey	4
F. G. Purnell	M. E. Genge, D.D.	P. M. Sampson	W. F. Yorston	L. Olgers	F. G. Purnell	5
John C. McNeill		R. Moorhead-Legate, D.D.		W. O. Rhoad	T. Owen Hughes	6
L. H. Fowler		H. S. Lee	W. D. Reid, D.D.	Allan S. Reid, D.D.	N.A.MacLeod,D.D.	
Donald S. Traill		J. R. Graham	Robert Stewart	Robert Stewart	J. R. Graham	7
George Rowland	F. Scott Mackenzie, D.D.	Malcolm A. Campbell, D.D.	George Whillans,D.D.	Allan A. Reid, D.D.	Wm. McLean	8
D. N. MacMillan	R. W. Ellis	W. E. Davies		W. B. MacCallum	P. E. Campbell	9
J. Logan-Vencta	Wm. Patterson	R. Good	Hugh Cameron, D.D.	Hugh Cameron, D.D.	R. Johnston, D.D.	10
L. H. Fowler	H. A. Berlis	G. W. Conners, Ph.D	G. W. Conners, Ph.D		Kenneth McCaskill	11
H. P. Maitland	George McGregor	W. J. Hurlow		Wm. Merrilees	Wm. Merrilees	12
M. E. R. Boudreau		J. S. Shortt, D.D.	W. B. Davidson, D.D.	John Lindsay	J. A. MacInnis	
C. E. Dougan, Ph.D.	J. W. Stephen, D.D.	W. A. Hunter	C. E. Dougan, Ph.D.	C. E. Dougan, Ph.D.	C. E. Kidd	13
R. Simpson Black		A. J. Preston		Gordon R. Duncan	J. W. Foote	14
G. M. Jamieson	E. W. B. MacKay	E. W. Meek	R. Russell	R. Simpson	J. C. Grier	15
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C. Graham Jones	Geo. Aitken	Wm. Mackintosh	Geo. Aitken	T. O. Miller	T. W. Goodwill	17
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REV. ALEXANDER J. MacGILLIVRAY, M.A., D.D.

In the year 1867 Dr. Alexander J. MacGillivray was born near the village of Port Elgin, Ontario. He was the son of pioneer parents who came from the Island of Mull, Scotland, to make their home in the County of Bruce.

He received his early education in the local Public School and in Ridgetown High School. Thereafter, he went west and for a time served in the Department of Education of the Province of Manitoba. It was during this period in Winnipeg that he heard the call of the ministry. He resigned his position forthwith and entered the classes of the University of Manitoba, graduating with the degree of Bachelor of Arts. He next attended the University of Princeton, New Jersey, taking the degree of Master of Arts. His especial training for the ministry was completed in the Princeton Theological Seminary, then famous for the strength of its professorial staff.

Graduating in May, 1894, he was married in the month following to Miss Minnie Gertrude Sheridan, of Palermo. In the same year he was ordained for special work on the frontier of civilization and spent three years in mission work in the district of Oklahoma. At that time, Tulsa, now a thriving city of one hundred and fifty thousand people, was an insignificant hamlet.

In 1897 Dr. MacGillivray accepted a call to New St. James Church, London, where he laboured until 1906 when he was called to St. John's Church, Vancouver. In 1911 he resigned from St. John's and visited Scotland to pursue post-graduate studies. Returning to Canada in 1912 he became the supply minister of Knox Church, Guelph, during the illness of the minister, Rev. Mr. Arnold. After Mr. Arnold's death, Dr. MacGillivray was duly called as minister of the congregation. Inducted on April 3rd, 1913, he continued during twenty-five years the much respected, much beloved minister of this church.

During his long and useful ministry Dr. MacGillivray enjoyed many well-deserved honours. In 1910 Westminster Hall, Vancouver, conferred upon him the degree of Doctor of Divinity in recognition of his scholastic ability and his zeal for learning. In 1926 he was called to the highest office in the gift of the Church, being elected Moderator of the General Assembly meeting in Montreal that year. During the following twelve months he travelled extensively through the Dominion encouraging the people with his robust Christian optimism and his great faith in the sure triumph of the Kingdom of God. It has been said that during that year he journeyed a greater annual mileage than any church leader in the history of the world. Owing to the death of Dr. Leslie Clay in 1928, and the death of Dr. David Perrie in 1930, ere their moderatorial years had been completed, Dr. MacGillivray was called upon to carry through the work they had been compelled to lay down.

Dr. MacGillivray at one time or another served on the leading boards of the Church, where his wise counsel and wide experience made his presence invaluable. As Convener of the Board of Missions, as member of the Board of Administration, his administrative ability was a source of strength to the Church. For many years he represented the Presbyterian Church in Canada on the General Council of the Alliance of Reformed Churches. He knew the Church as few know it, and his wise tact and unflinching faith made him one upon whom men of high and low estate learned to lean. During his ministry he led in the erection of three church buildings, in Oklahoma, New St. James, London, and St. John's, Vancouver. As he was wont to put it, "the first was of wood, the second was of stone and brick, and the third was wholly of stone."

In the Presbytery of Guelph Dr. MacGillivray could scarcely be more unobtrusive. Despite the fact that he had occupied the chief places in the Church he was the humblest among us. When he felt called upon to speak, his good judgment, his varied training, his knowledge of the subject and his sense of the fitness of things, made his words well worth weighing. How kind he was to us all! How patient with us! How ready to help! We shall sorely miss him, his great spiritual strength, his wise counsel, his fine humour, his Christian sturdiness of character. Truly, "A prince and a great man has fallen in our Israel." We admired him for what he was; we respected him for what he was; we loved him for what he was.

Up on the hill there in the Guelph General Hospital, Dr. MacGillivray fought his last battle and won. After a few weeks of intense physical pain through which he experienced the fellowship of Christ's sufferings, this Mr. Valiant-for-the-Truth passed over on New Year's Day, 1938, and for him "all the trumpets sounded on the other side." "He fought the good fight; he finished the course; he kept the faith."

On Tuesday, January fourth, under the auspices of the Presbytery of Guelph, with Dr. M. B. Davidson presiding in the absence of the Moderator, Mr. W. Patterson, the funeral services were held in Knox Church, Guelph. Dr. Malcolm Campbell of First Church, Montreal, delivered the memorial address, finely and graciously touching on the work and character of Dr. MacGillivray. Dr. D. T. L. McKerroll of Niagara-on-the-Lake, Dr. James Wilson and Dr. John G. Inkster of Toronto also assisted in the service. The narrative of record was presented by the Clerk. At the conclusion of the service the members of Presbytery and the congregation silently filed past the casket paying their last sad office of respect to their departed friend and minister, "sorrowing most of all that they should see his face no more."

The remains were laid to rest in Woodlawn Cemetery, Guelph, the services at the grave being under the direction of Dr. Davidson. The committal was taken by Rev. D. H. Marshall of St. Andrew's Church, Guelph, and the prayer was offered and the benediction pronounced by Dr. Campbell.

To those surviving who were dear to Dr. MacGillivray, to Mrs. MacGillivray, to their daughter, Mrs. Barker, to their son, Mr. James MacGillivray, to his sisters, Mrs. Stuart and Miss Isabel MacGillivray and to his brother, Rev. J. K. MacGillivray of Ashfield, the sincere and heartfelt sympathy of the Presbytery of Guelph goes out. Our prayer is that the blessing of God may so come upon one and all that the burden of this grief may be lifted and their souls find rest and peace.

Synod of the Maritime Provinces

REV. WILLIAM M. FRASER, B.A., B.Sc.

Rev. Wm. M. Fraser, though of Pictou and Nova Scotia origin, on both sides of his ancestry, was born in Chatham, New Brunswick, in 1857, but was taken, early in life to Dartmouth, where he was brought up, attending the local schools, and later Dalhousie University where he specialized in chemistry. For his theological training he went to Princeton Seminary, and after the completion of his course took up duties in the United States.

On returning to Canada he preached for some time in Bridgetown and Annapolis, and from there was called to Halifax as the first minister of Cobourg Road Church. His closing pastorate was at St. Andrew's, New Brunswick, where he remained for many years much beloved by his parishioners. After retiring he lived for the most part in Halifax though in rather impaired health.

Mr. Fraser was a thoughtful preacher, taking great pains in his preparation, and while he was unflagging in his pastoral duties, perhaps more than in anything else he was interested in work among boys, and many will recall with gratitude his generosity and the inspiration to the best things in life which he was able to impart.

His pulpit ministry was consistently of a high order, his scholarly and fervently evangelic messages being invariably clothed in chaste and stately diction. As a man he was kind and exceedingly generous and was ever thoughtful of others. While in bearing he was always dignified, his dignity was ever seasoned with a fine sense of humour. His quiet modesty was a marked feature of his character. In a word, he was a true Christian gentleman and a consecrated and faithful minister of Jesus Christ.

He was a nephew of the late Principal Ross of Dalhousie University. He never married. Mr. Fraser passed away on July the 19th, 1937, several relatives surviving him in Pictou County.

REV. JOHN A. PRITCHARD

Rev. John A. Pritchard was born in Bangor, Wales, forty-eight years ago. He received his education in the United States, and he was a graduate of Dubuque University, Iowa.

His first charge was at Slatington, Pennsylvania, where he was ordained in 1920. His other pastorates were at Williamsburg, Iowa, Molesworth and Gorrie, Ontario; Monkton, Ontario; Marshfield, etc., Prince Edward Island; and Springhill, Nova Scotia, where he passed away after a brief illness on January the 29th, 1938.

He had proved himself a splendid worker taking special interest in the young people of his various fields. He was a strong Evangelical preacher and a faithful and diligent member of the courts of the Church. Especially did he distinguish himself in the Presbyteries of Prince Edward Island and Halifax and Lunenburg in both of which Presbyteries he was honoured with the Moderatorship.

He leaves to mourn his departure, his widow, two brothers and one sister.

The funeral service was conducted at St. David's Church, Springhill, January the 31st, by the Moderator of Presbytery, Rev. Dr. Kerr, of Halifax, and the address was given by Rev. T. Owen Hughes, of Montague, Prince Edward Island. Interment was at Springhill Cemetery.

Synod of Montreal and Ottawa

REV. D. A. ROBERTSON

On September the 8th, 1937, the Rev. D. A. Robertson passed away at the General Hospital, Cornwall, Ontario, after a brief illness, at the early age of forty-eight.

Mr. Robertson was born in Dundee, Scotland, and came to Canada in 1909, to serve as a missionary in the Presbyterian Church. His first field was Theodore and Orcadia in Saskatchewan, where he acted in the dual capacity of missionary and public school teacher.

He was a graduate of the Glasgow Bible Training Institute, and completed his theological course in St. Andrew's, Saskatoon in 1926.

After his ordination he served at Meadowvale and Rockglen, Saskatchewan. In 1929 he was called to Bolton and Nashville, where he ministered for six years. In 1935 he was inducted into Kirk Hill. After a brief pastorate of two years he was called to his rest.

Mr. Robertson was deeply interested in work among children and was very successful in that sphere. His joyous disposition readily won esteem and friendship, and greatly contributed to his ministry and particularly his service among the youth.

He is survived by Mrs. Robertson and five children.

REV. J. G. POTTER, M.A., D.D.

A resolution by the Presbytery of Montreal *re* the late Dr. J. G. Potter has been submitted as follows:—

"The Presbytery of Montreal records with deep regret the death of Rev. James G. Potter who passed away on October the 24th, 1937, at the age of 73 years; and desires to place on record its sincere appreciation of his life and service.

Dr. Potter, though of Scottish parentage, was born in England and early came to Canada. His education was obtained in Halifax, and he completed his course in Arts and Theology in Queen's University in 1889. Later he took his degree of M.A. in McGill, and in 1929 received from the Presbyterian College, Montreal, his honorary degree of D.D., as a token of high esteem.

He was ordained in 1889 and served the following congregations, Knox Church, Merrickville, Ontario; St. Enoch's, Toronto; St. Andrew's, Peterborough, from which church he came to Montreal 25 years ago, having already given proof of his personal worth and his ministerial ability.

Entering upon the pastorate of the MacVicar Memorial Church he laboured for a quarter of a century in that prominent sphere, retiring in the year 1936. He built up a membership and stimulated the service of the congregation in a ministry of interest, fidelity, and abounding fruitfulness.

Dr. Potter endeared himself to all who knew him by his gracious and kindly attitude as a Christian gentleman, and he had the loyal support of his congregation. As a member of this Presbytery he was faithful to his duties, twice occupying the Moderator's chair. His sincere Christian life, his wealth of character, his pulpit ability, his pastoral devotion gained the love and appreciation of his brethren in the Presbytery and in the wider public.

He has passed on to his reward at a ripe age and his name will long live amongst us as an eminent example of the true and loyal servant of the Master and His Church.

He is survived by his wife, two sons, Grant Potter, of Toronto, and Dr. Carl T. Potter, of London, England, and two daughters, Mrs. D. T. Diplock, of Peterborough, and Mrs. O. D. Rexford, of Montreal."

REV. G. A. MacLENNAN, D.D.

The following resolution was passed by the Presbytery of Montreal:—

The Rev. George A. MacLennan, B.A., D.D., was born at Lagmore, Nottawasaga Township, Ontario, December 22nd, 1864, the son of the late Rev. George MacLennan and his wife, Mary Currie. His father was one of Ontario's pioneer Gaelic ministers.

Dr. MacLennan was educated at the old log school at Lagmore, Kincardine High School, McGill University and Knox College. He graduated from Knox in Theology in 1886.

He served the Presbyterian Church at Jarvis and Norwood in Ontario, and Chateauguay Basin in Quebec. In 1917 he was appointed District Secretary of the Montreal and Quebec Auxiliaries of the British and Foreign Bible Society, and held this appointment until his retirement in December, 1934. In the cause of the Bible Society he was tireless and was endowed with a strong physique which enabled him to cover a large and difficult territory.

Dr. MacLennan, though loyal to the Church of his Fathers, was ever disposed to recognize the good in others with the result that he was invariably Persona Grata with the representatives of the various denominations with whom his work of necessity brought him into contact.

He possessed a large measure of special qualifications required for the inter-denominational office which for many years latterly he filled—broad charity, an understanding and sympathetic nature, conscientousness, sincerity, dependability, faithfulness in the discharge of obligations.

It may be worthy of record that Dr. MacLennan's interest in the early experiences from older congregations led to his collection of two complete sets of the Communion Tokens used by them at different stages in their history. These he generously donated to our two Theological Colleges, Knox and Montreal, one set to each, in this way making a valued contribution to the archives of our Church.

In recognition of his services to our own Church and Christian work generally, he was given the degree of Doctor of Divinity from the Presbyterian College, Montreal, in 1932.

Dr. MacLennan passed away on September 2nd, 1937, at Port Dover, Ontario. The funeral service was held in the Presbyterian Church and was in charge of Rev. J. B. M. Armour, M.A., General Secretary of the Bible Society in Canada and Newfoundland. Mr. Armour was assisted by the late Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, D.D., of Guelph. Interment was at London, Ontario.

"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth; yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours and their works do follow them."

Synod of Toronto and Kingston

REV. R. J. CAMPBELL

The Rev. R. J. Campbell, retired Presbyterian Minister of our Church, passed away suddenly at his home, in Toronto, on January the 15th, 1938.

Mr. Campbell was born in County Antrim, Ireland, and was educated in Belfast, taking later a Post Graduate Theological Course at Princeton University.

He held pastorates in Oregon, California, Buffalo, Lockport, New York, and served as minister under our Church for a time at Kamsack, Saskatchewan. He came to Toronto eighteen years ago.

Mr. Campbell was a member of the Presbytery of Toronto, and was active in Social Service work and Hospital visiting.

He is survived by his widow, Nellie Agnew Campbell; three sisters, Mrs. J. W. Barrington, Toronto; Mrs. J. S. Gallagher, Cardiff, Wales; Mrs. Robert Alexander, Ireland; and two brothers Dr. Fred. Campbell, Cardiff, and Mr. John Campbell, Ireland.

The funeral service was held at the family residence, Tuesday, January the 18th, and interment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

REV. R. J. CRAIG, M.A., D.D.

The Presbytery of Kingston records its deep sense of loss in the death of the Rev. R. J. Craig, M.A., D.D., which took place on September the 15th, 1937.

Dr. Craig was born in Kingston, Ontario, in 1850. He was educated in Kingston Grammar School, and graduated from Queen's University in 1871 with honours in Classics and Philosophy.

After completing his course in Theology he pursued post-graduate studies abroad; and served for a year under the Colonial Mission of the Church of Scotland in Canada.

He was ordained in 1876 and settled in Deseronto, where he remained for 18 years. During his pastorate in the latter place a beautiful church was built, which still stands as a monument to his labours in that parish. At a later date he served in Depot Harbour, South River and Demorestville.

For many years Dr. Craig was the honoured Clerk of the Presbytery of Kingston; and by his intimate knowledge of law and procedure, his steady devotion to his work, and his unvarying courtesy, he rendered invaluable service.

His long and arduous labours were signally recognized by his election as Moderator of the Synod of Toronto and Kingston in 1935, and by the hearty acclamation accorded him in the General Assembly of the same year in Montreal as one of the surviving of those present at the union in 1875.

High tribute was paid to his memory by the Presbytery at the funeral held in Deseronto. Loved by all who knew him for his genial and generous nature, serving the church of his fathers for half a century, it falls to the lot of few men to enjoy so extended and distinguished a ministry.

REV. G. M. DUNN

Rev. George M. Dunn passed away suddenly at his home of a heart attack on the 28th of July, 1937, and our Church lost a very sincere Christian man, and an earnest and capable minister.

Mr. Dunn was born near Port Credit in 1872. He obtained his school training in Public School and Parkdale Collegiate, Toronto. He then entered upon his studies for the ministry, taking one session in Manitoba College, and the rest of his course in Knox College, from which he graduated in 1900.

His first charge was Whitechurch and Langside in the Presbytery of Maitland. After a ministry of six years there, he was called to Zion Church, Ridgetown, where he carried on a fruitful work for seven years. He then accepted a Call to Royce Avenue Church, Toronto, then a struggling congregation. During his pastorate there a new church was erected and the membership increased to six hundred.

In 1926 he was called to the Beaches congregation, then a minority group worshipping in a theatre. Under his aggressive leadership a fine site was secured, the present church building was erected and a strong and active congregation was established.

For several years after 1925 Mr. Dunn was Clerk of the Presbytery of Toronto, and in this capacity rendered valuable service during those trying years of re-organization.

In 1929 he accepted the position of Budget Secretary, under the Board of Administration, which he occupied for a year.

Mr. Dunn's last charge was Todmorden, now known as Westminster Church, Toronto. Here in a short time through energetic leadership the present beautiful church of cut stone, with its fine equipment was built, replacing the old frame building, which had served so long as a mission hall in that part of the city.

In the midst of his labours he was suddenly called to his eternal rest. He has left three fine churches as fitting monuments of his activity and devotion.

In 1931 Mr. Dunn lost his life-companion, Mrs. Dunn, and is survived by two sons, Caven in Hamilton, Ontario, and Norman M., residing in Toronto.

REV. JOHN STENHOUSE, M.A., B.Sc., M.B.

On the 25th of November, 1937, Dr. John Stenhouse passed away at the age of seventy-seven, after a very brief illness.

Dr. Stenhouse was born in Cupar, Fife, Scotland. He pursued his studies in Edinburgh, graduating there in Arts and Science; and in Theology from the United Presbyterian Theological Hall.

After coming to Canada he served the Church first at Collingwood, then in 1890 in the Mission, which developed into Dovercourt Road Presbyterian Church, Toronto.

However, from boyhood having a desire to study Medical Science, he decided to complete his Course in Medicine, and took his degree at Toronto University in 1894, starting to practice here nearly forty-three years ago.

He was deeply concerned in the struggle for the continuance of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, and was one of the early members of the Presbyterian Church Association. He took an interest in all the work of the Church, but especially in the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home, and the Yorkville Presbyterian Home, to which he gave most devoted and self-sacrificing service.

Dr. Stenhouse, both as a minister and a doctor was the friend of many a minister, and ever ready to lend a helping hand, and to assist whenever possible. His sympathy and his services were always at the disposal of the poor and destitute.

At the time of his death he was a member of the Session of Calvin Church, Toronto. The large congregation that filled the church at the funeral service was a fitting testimony to the esteem and affection of all classes for "The Beloved Physician."

Dr. Stenhouse is survived by Mrs. Stenhouse, and four sisters, two in England, one in New Zealand, and Mrs. A. S. Maclean in Toronto.

REV. ARCHIBALD G. CAMERON, D.D.

Rev. Dr. A. G. Cameron, first minister of St. Giles' Church, Ottawa, a former Moderator of the Ottawa Presbytery, of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and one of the most beloved figures in the Kirk, died on Monday, February 21st, 1938, at his residence in Ottawa.

Dr. Cameron's death will be mourned in Ontario and Quebec, as well as in Western Canada, and by many outside of the Presbyterian Church, through his activities in social service work in Ottawa.

Dr. Cameron was a son of the Manse, his father, the late Rev. Hugh Cameron, being in charge of the congregation at Beachburg, Ontario, when he was born there 67 years ago. He was educated in Montreal, graduating from McGill University and The Presbyterian College in Montreal, where he was ordained in 1890.

He held charges at Vars, City View, Brockville; Lethbridge, Alberta, before taking charge of the former Glebe Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, during the absence of the Rev. T. J. Thompson, who was overseas during the war. Later, he engaged in social service work in Ottawa, in the Juvenile Court, where his kindliness, and great sympathy for those in need, were the means of inspiring many to a better life.

Dr. Cameron was the organizer of the first congregation of the present St. Giles' Church, and it was in 1928 the edifice now occupied was completed. Under his ministry the congregation was greatly extended.

During his pastorate there, he suffered the loss of his wife, formerly Miss Elizabeth MacLaren in 1930. He later severed his connection with St. Giles and moved to Deseronto, his last charge as a minister, retiring in 1937 to take up residence again in Ottawa. It was in 1933 that he was honoured with the degree of Doctor of Divinity by The Presbyterian College, Montreal.

During his work in Ottawa, Dr. Cameron with the Presbyterian Church in the district was largely instrumental in the establishment of the Gloucester Church, which was for a time under his pastorate.

Keenly interested in music, Dr. Cameron was well known as a singer, and was an accomplished organ, piano, and violin player.

He is survived by his widow, formerly Mrs. Helen Gillies of Ottawa; one daughter, Mrs. Donald Gault of Deseronto, and two sons, Dr. Hugh Cameron, and William Cameron.

He is also mourned by many in his various charges, where he was beloved and revered as a pastor and friend.

Synod of Hamilton and London

REV. JOHN HARRIS, PH.D.

The late Rev. John Harris, Ph.D., lately minister of Chalmers Church in the Presbytery of London, was born in Wales in the year 1864.

After graduating from Treffecca Theological College he ministered successfully in three charges in Wales, one in Breconshire, and two others, Bethesda and Milford Haven in Pembrokeshire. After taking post-graduate studies in London University he came to Canada and accepted a call to St. John's in the Presbytery of Miramichi.

Considerations of health led the family to move south where he accepted a charge at Chattanooga, Tennessee, and later at Miami, Florida.

Returning to Canada, he accepted a call to Chalmers Church, London, where he was inducted on November 24, 1928. His ministry was happy and acceptable.

He passed into rest on the thirteenth day of March, at eventide, as his congregation were assembling for worship. His remains were laid in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, beside those of Mrs. Harris who pre-deceased him some seven years.

The sympathy of the Presbytery is extended to his daughter Alethia, and to his congregation where he was greatly loved.

REV. J. C. TOLMIE, B.A.

The Rev. Major James Craig Tolmie was born at Innerkip, Oxford County, son of Rev. Andrew and Mrs. Tolmie, on October 8th, 1862, and died on Sunday, May the 15th, 1938, after a brief illness in his seventy-sixth year.

He received his early education in the Southampton public school; Toronto Collegiate Institute; Toronto University College and Knox College, graduating in Arts and Law in 1885.

He was called to the First Presbyterian Church at Brantford and was ordained and inducted there in 1889. In 1894 Major Tolmie accepted a Call to St. Andrew's Church, Windsor. Here his ability as a preacher and his keen interest in the general welfare of his fellow citizens brought him into prominence, as one of the outstanding men of the Church.

In the early part of the Great War Major Tolmie resigned his ministerial charge and served as army chaplain overseas. On his return he took a great interest in public affairs. He made his home in Southampton, and served as Reeve from 1926 to 1930, as Mayor in 1931, and Reeve again from 1933 until his death, which was sudden and unexpected.

He was elected a member of the Ontario Legislative Assembly for Windsor, serving two terms. He was also Chairman of the Windsor Board of Education for several years, and although retired from the ministry Major Tolmie's services were in constant demand for special occasions and he was very generous in complying with these requests.

In the removal of the Rev. Mr. Tolmie, the Church has lost a friend in whose varied activities were seen the true Christian gentleman inspiring those with whom he was associated to high ideals and noble endeavour. In the words of one who worked with him "His judgment, advice and counsel could ever be relied upon as sound."

Mrs. Tolmie, who was Miss Margaret Ferguson of Fergus, predeceased Major Tolmie eighteen months ago. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. W. O. H. James, Toronto, and Miss Fergus, at home, also two sisters, Misses Agnes and Helen

Synod of Saskatchewan

REV JOHN PETER MacINNES, B.A.

On June 8th, 1937, at the General Hospital, Regina, the Rev. J. P. MacInnes, B.A., Lipton, Sask., passed to his rest, in the 72nd year of his age.

Born February 26th, 1865, Mr. MacInnes received his education at McGill University and the Presbyterian College, Montreal, from which latter institution he was graduated 1894. He was ordained to the ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada December 23rd, 1895, and began his ministry in Eastern Ontario, later coming to Omemee in the Presbytery of Lindsay, where he spent a number of years. It was from this latter place that, when the war broke out, he enlisted in the 124th Battalion, later rising to the rank of Sergeant.

At the close of the war he came to Saskatchewan, settling at Lipton, where he continued his ministry until 1929, when failing sight compelled his retirement. His declining years, when he became totally blind, were borne with Christian fortitude. He is survived by his widow and one daughter.

He was buried in the Soldiers' Plot in the Regina Cemetery, the Rev. H. R. Horne and the Rev. Scarth Macdonnell officiating.

Synod of Alberta

REV. S. BACON HILLOCKS, B.A., LL.B.

The Rev. S. B. Hillocks was born at Bathurst, New Brunswick, in 1869, and died at Calgary, Alberta, on the 3rd of September, 1937.

After graduating from Bathurst Collegiate Institute, he entered Grant University in Tennessee, United States, and obtained his Bachelor of Arts degree there. His theological training was gained in an Anglican College. He received his LL.B. degree from the University of Alberta in 1918.

He came to Alberta in 1905 and was received from the Anglican ministry into the ministry of the Presbyterian Church.

He served the Presbyterian Church in Mission Fields in Alberta, and also served as the minister of three charges. For four years he was stationed at St. Paul's Church, Banff. Then he went to St. Paul's Church, Calgary. In 1931, he became minister of St. Stephen's Church, New Westminster, British Columbia, and in 1935 he retired from this charge and made his home in Calgary, where he became identified with Grace Church there.

The interests of journalism and public life commanded much of his time and effort. At one time he was editor of the Calgary *Herald*, possibly the most influential newspaper in Alberta. He was elected to the Provincial House where he represented Calgary North constituency for four years.

Mr. Hillocks filled a large place in the life of the Church and in the life of the Province of Alberta. By pen and by voice he sought to lead men to higher ideals. His knowledge of church law and procedure made him a valued member of Presbytery. His was a life crowded full of faithful service and he leaves behind a fine record of devotion to his Master.

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Alfred Bright of Calgary. His body was laid to rest at Banff where he laboured for several years. He is survived by his wife, Carolyn, a son William, and three daughters, Grace, Edith and Eirene.

Synod of British Columbia

REV. R. J. DOUGLAS, D.D.

The following is a Memorial Record approved by the Presbytery of Westminster meeting in regular session in St. Andrew's Church, New Westminster, Tuesday, November 9th, 1937, at two o'clock in the afternoon:—

"On October 27th, 1937, the Rev. R. J. Douglas, D.D., a loyal and faithful servant of God and His Church, died at Edmonds, Burnaby, British Columbia, in his seventy-second year.

Robert James Douglas was born in Earlton, Colchester County, Nova Scotia. Fifty years ago he taught school in this Province. Six years later, recognizing the religious and spiritual needs of the pioneering West, he decided to dedicate his life to the preaching of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Graduating from Montreal College, and after a short ministry in Nova Scotia and Ontario, he returned to British Columbia. Here for thirty-four years he laboured at Michel, Trail, Chilliwack, Vancouver and New Westminster.

For a time he occupied the post of Chaplain at the Port of Vancouver. During the last eleven years of his ministry he acted as Synodical Missionary for British Columbia and Southern Alberta, retiring from active service in 1936.

During thirty-three years he never missed a meeting of this Synod. As Clerk of Synod, and also as Clerk of the Presbytery of Westminster, he proved himself a diligent and devoted servant. In 1925, following the Disruption, when our Church in her need, was anxious to select a minister to serve, whose experience, tact and missionary zeal, specially commended him, it was to Dr. Douglas she turned. From that time until illness laid him aside from his labours, Dr. Douglas, with fine patience, kindly dignity and solemn determination, went about the work of rebuilding the shattered walls. In the name of the Master and the Church he loved and served, amid many difficulties and disappointments, he carried to the outlying mission fields and scattered congregations of our province, that sympathy, sincerity and kindly helpful advice for which his memory will be cherished. His faith in our Church's continued place and power in the land inspired a holy confidence and a quiet courage to go on. Truly we can say he fought a good fight; he kept the faith.

To Mrs. Douglas, his widow, to his sons, Ian, Ross, Archie and to Ellen, his daughter, our beloved missionary to the Bhil people in India the Presbytery of Westminster extends its deepest sympathy, and commends them at the Throne of Grace, to the care and keeping of God, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, the Comforter."

REV. HARRY C. FRASER, M.A.

The following is a Memorial Record approved by the Presbytery of Westminster meeting in regular session in Hunter Church, Vancouver, Tuesday, December 14th, 1937, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon:—

"It is with a sincere sense of loss that Presbytery records the death of Rev. Harry C. Fraser, M.A., of Victoria. Mr. Fraser passed away the first week of November.

A native of New Brunswick, he was educated at Dalhousie University and Pine Hill College. He was ordained to the ministry of the Presbyterian Church, and was engaged for a time in pastoral work in the Maritimes. In 1914 he was called to Cooke's Church, Chilliwack, but soon returned to Fairville Church, Saint John, New Brunswick.

On his return to British Columbia he entered educational work, being Principal of Chilliwack High School. He was appointed Inspector of Schools for Prince Rupert District and later held the same position for Vancouver Island.

Mr. Fraser was a man fitted to teach in school or pulpit. He was exact in his thought and expression, particular in his habits, aggressive in his work and firm in his friendships.

Mrs. Fraser, elder daughter of the late Dr. Henderson of Chilliwack, and two children survive him."

PENMARVIAN—INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT
BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st JANUARY, 1938

Income

Interest	$5,104.18	
Fees per Guests	147.80	
Meals	.60	
		$5,252.58

Expenditure

Taxes and Water	$ 558.84	
Repairs to Property	205.12	
Insurance	125.38	
Fuel	662.05	
Electric Light and Power	74.45	
Telephone	32.72	
Travelling Expenses, Committee, etc.	38.18	
Household and Garden Supplies	623.04	
Stationery, Postage, Exchange, and Com. Money Orders	36.54	
Salaries and Wages	1,356.50	
Food	183.47	
Miscellaneous	5.50	
		$3,901.79
Operating Balance		$1,350.79
Transferred to credit of Equipment Account	$ 675.39	
Balance carried into year 1938	675.40	
	$1,350.79	$1,350.79
By Balance		$ 675.40

Balance Sheet as at 31st January, 1938

Assets

Equipment Account	$ 1,010.61	
Controlling Account with General Funds	102,027.04	
Petty Cash	15.00	
Bank Account	122.75	
		$103,175.40

Liabilities

Endowment	$100,000.00	
To Residuary Legatees	2,500.00	
Balance Income and Expenditure Account	675.40	
		$103,175.40

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF PASTORAL CHARGES CONGREGATIONS AND MISSION FIELDS

N.B.—Where Pastoral Charges or Mission Fields have more than one congregation or preaching station, the other congregations or preaching stations are also arranged alphabetically with the name of the Pastoral Charge or Mission Field inserted.

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Acton (See Harvey Station)	4	200
Adderley (See Inverness)	7	206
Agincourt, Knox (M.)	16	226
Ahmic Harbour (M.F.) (See Magnetawan)	19	234
Ailsa Craig	25	244
Alberton (See Ancaster)	23	238
Alberton	6	202
Alcomdale (See Independence)	40	268
Aldergrove (M.F.) (See Smeaton)	37	264
Alfalfa Valley (M.F.) (See Yellowstone)	36	262
Alice (M.F.)	11	214
Chalk River		
Petawawa		
Alirajpur (M.) Central India	47	280
All People's Mission (See Gonor)	33	256
Allandale	18	230
Stroud		
Allenford	31	252
Elsinore		
Alliston	18	230
Mansfield		
Alma (See Elmira)	22	238
Alma Street (See St. Thomas)	25	244
Almonte, St. John's	11	214
Alvinston, Guthrie	27	248
Cameron, Euphemia		
Amherst Island, St. Paul's	13	218
Amherstburg, St. Andrew's	26	246
Windsor, Knox		
Amkhut (M.) Central India	47	280
Amos, Dromore	21	236
Normanby, Knox		
Ancaster	23	238
Alberton		
Angus (See Cookstown)	18	230
Appin	25	244
Melbourne, Guthrie		
Arcola (M.F.)	35	260
Argyle (M.F.)	34	258
Lizard Point Reserve		
Argyle	25	244
Dunwich, Duff's		
Arkona	27	248
Thedford, Knox		
Warwick, Knox		
Arlington Beach (M.F.)	35	260
Eddy		
Dunkeld		
Strasbourg		
Armstrong (M.F.)	45	276
Vernon		
Arnprior, St. Andrew's	11	214
Artland (See Chauvin)	40	268
Arthur, St. Andrew's	21	236
Gordonville, St. Andrew's		
Asbestos (See Danville)	7	206
Ashfield	30	252
Ashfield (M.F.) (See East Lockport)	33	256
Ashburn, Burns (See Port Perry)	15	222
Assiniboia, St. Andrew's	36	262
Athelstan	8	206
Elgin		
Atwood	28	248
Auburn, Knox	29	250
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Blyth, Old St. Andrew's		
Smith's Hill		
Aultsville (See Woodlands)	9	212
Aurora (M.)	16	226
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Avonmore	9	210
Avonton	28	248
Avonbank, Motherwell		
Aylmer, Que.	10	212
Hull, Cushman		
Ayr (M.F.)	22	238
Ayton (See Hanover)	31	252
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Baddeck	1	192
Big Baddeck		
Baden (M.F.)	22	238
Bala	18	230
Port Carling		
Torrance		
Ballyduff	14	220
Janetville		
Nestleton		
Banks (M.F.)	18	232
Gibralter		
St. Andrew's		
Banff, St. Paul's	42	272
Bar River (M.F.)	20	234
Laird		
Sowerby		
Barnesville (M.F.) (See Titusville)	4	200
Barney's River	2	194
Avondale		
Laggan		
Marshy Hope		
Riverside		
Barrie	18	230
Barwani (M.) Central India	47	280
Bass River	5	202
West Branch		
Bassano, Knox	42	272
Bathurst	5	202
Jacquet River		
New Mills		
Battleford, North St. Andrew's	38	264
Bayfield, Knox (See Clinton)	29	250
Baxter (See Townline)	18	232
Beachburg (M.F.)	11	214
Beamsville (See Grimsby)	23	240
Bear Creek (See Brigden)	27	248
Bear Lake (M.F.) (See Grande Prairie)	39	266
Beauharnois	8	206
Beaverton	15	222
Gamebridge		
Beechridge (M.F.)	8	208
Beechwood (See Nairn)	27	248
Beersville (See Harcourt)	5	202
Beeton (See Tottenham)	18	232
Bekevar (M.F.)	35	260
Belfast	6	202

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Belleville, St. Andrew's	13	218
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Belmont, Knox	25	244
Yarmouth, St. James		
Belmore (See Teeswater)	30	252
Benalto (M.F.)	41	270
Eckville		
Hespero		
Bermuda, Hamilton (St. Andrew's)	3	196
Bervie (See Ripley)	30	252
Bethel, Price's Corners (See Hillsburg)	17	230
Bethel	25	244
Bryanston		
Ilderton		
Bethel (See Three Hills)	42	272
Beverly (M.F.)	40	268
Big Baddeck (See Baddeck)	1	192
Biggar, St. Andrew's (M.F.)	38	264
Palo		
Binbrook (See Carluke)	23	238
Birch Grove (M.F.)	1	192
Broughton		
Birtle, Indian School (M.)	34	258
Black River (M.F.)	5	202
Kouchibouguac		
Rexton		
Richibucto		
Blenheim (See Ridgetown)	26	246
Blue Hawk (M.F.) (See Brownvale)	39	266
Blue Mountain	2	194
Garden of Eden		
Blueberry Mountain (M.F.) (See Wanham)	39	266
Bluevale	30	252
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Blyth, Old St. Andrew's (See Auburn)	29	250
Blyth (See Brandon)	34	258
Blytheswood	26	246
Bobcaygeon, Knox	15	222
Bocabec (See St. George)	4	200
Boissevain (See Ninga)	34	258
Bolsover (See Kirkfield)	15	222
Bolton	16	224
Nashville		
Bookton (See Norwich)	24	242
Bordervale (M.F.) (See Rock Glen)	36	262
Borden (See Tryon)	6	204
Boston	16	224
Omagh		
Boulardarie, Knox	1	192
St. James		
Bowmanville	14	220
Newtonville		
Bracebridge	18	230
Bradford	18	230
West Gwillimbury		
St. John's		
Bradalbane (See Tryon)	6	204
Bradner (M.F.) (See Mount Lehman)	45	276
Braeside (M.F.)	11	216
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Brampton	16	224
Brantford	24	242
Alexandra		
Central		
Knox		
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St. George		
Brandon	34	258
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Breadalbane (See Lenore)	34	258
Breakeyville (See Levis)	7	206
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Briercrest, Knox	36	262
Camlachie		
Brigden	27	248
Bear Creek		
Bridgeville (See East River)	2	194
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Bristol	10	212
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Broadview (M.F.) (See Whitewood)	35	260
Brockville (First Church)	12	216
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Glasgow Road		
Hartsville		
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Brooks (Hungarian M.F.) (See Lethbridge)	43	274
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Broughton (M.F.) (See Birch Grove)	1	192
Brownsburg (See Margaret Rodger Memorial, Lachute)	8	206
Brownvale (M.F.)	39	266
Blue Hawk		
Burnt Lea		
Figure Eight		
Griffin Creek		
Lac Cardinal		
Last Lake		
Bruce, North (See Port Elgin)	31	252
Brule (See River John)	2	194
Brussels	30	252
Bryanston (See Bethel)	25	244
Buchanan (M.F.)	45	276
Buckingham (M.F.)	10	214
Thurso		
Buctouche (M.F.) (See Shediac)	4	200
Buffalo Lake (M.F.) (See Dinsmore)	38	264
Burgoyne	31	252
Dunblane		
Burk's Falls, St. Andrew's	19	234
Burlington	23	238
Burns (See Erin)	17	230
Burns, Rocky Saugeen (See Durham)	21	236
Burns (See Mosa)	25	244
Burns, Zorra (See Harrington)	28	248
Burnt Lee (M.F.) (See Brownvale)	39	266
Burrows (See Whitewood) (M.F.)	35	260

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Cails Mills (See Harcourt)	5	202
Caintown	12	216
Lansdowne		
Caledon East, Knox	17	230
Caledon, St. Andrew's		
Claude		
Caledonia (See East River, St. Mary's)	2	194
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Calgary	42	272
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Calgary (Hungarian M.F.)	42	272
Calgary, Pleasant Heights (M.F.)	42	272
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Campbellford	14	220
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Campbellton, Knox	5	202
Cannington	15	222
Canoe (M.F.) (See Salmon Arm)	45	276
Canoe Cove	6	202
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Wellwood		
Cardigan and Lorne Valley (See Montague)	6	204
Cardinal	12	216
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Cariboo River (M.F.)	2	196
Sundridge		
Carleton Place, St. Andrew's	11	214
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Carragana (M.F.)	37	262
Copeau		
Golden Glow		
Green View		
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Carstairs, Knox	41	270
Dog Pound		
Catalone (See Mira Ferry)	1	192
Cayley (See High River)	42	272
Cecebe (M.F.)	19	234
Cecelia Jeffrey School (M.F.) (See Kenora)	32	254
Celtic (M.F.) (See Smeaton)	37	264
Centre Road	27	248
West Adelaide		
Centreville	14	220
Millbrook		
Centreville (See Sylvan Lake)	41	270
Chalk River (See Alice) (M.F.)	11	214
Charlie Lake (M.F.) (See Fort St. John)	39	266
Charlottetown	6	204
St. James		
Zion		
Mermaid		
Charny (See Levis)	7	206
Chatham	5	202
Newcastle		
Chatham, First	26	246
Chatsworth	31	252
Dornoch		
Williamsford		
Chauvin	40	268
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Edenglassie		
Killarney		
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Chesley	31	252
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Clifford (M.F.)	21	236
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Bayfield, Knox		
Cloverdale (M.F.)	45	276
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Scotland		
Wolftown, St. John		
Cobourg	14	220
Cochrane, Knox (M.F.)	19	234
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Coghlan (M.F.) (See Murrayville)	45	276
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Coldwater (See Victoria Harbour)	18	232
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	35	260
Dunleath (M.F.)		
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Nottawa	25	244
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West Libau		
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